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SCHOOL LEVY TO BE SAME

LOCAL BOARD SETS APRIL 6 AS VOTING DATE.

ONE POLLING PLACE

Basement of Library is Designated—Nominees for Director to Be Named April 2

The regular levy for maintenance of the Maryville public schools will be submitted to the people of this school district at the school election to be held on Tuesday, April 6, it was decided at a meeting of the board of education held this morning. The levy is six mills on the dollar and is the same as has been voted for a number of years. It is in addition to the levy of four mills authorized by law.

The board designated the city hall, in the basement of the library building, as the polling place for the school election. No city election is to be held this year and it was decided that one polling place would be sufficient. The judges of the election are E. V. Condon, W. A. Tindall and C. J. Eckert.

In addition to voting for the school levy of six mills, two members of the school board will be elected. The two nominees will be selected at a mass meeting of the voters to be held at the courthouse on the evening of April 2. The terms of E. E. Williams and L. E. Forsyth will expire as members of the board. Mr. Forsyth was appointed a member to succeed C. C. Hellmers, who resigned on account of his removal to Lincoln, Neb. It is understood both Forsyth and Williams will be candidates to succeed themselves.

Burch and Sons Sell Three Cars of Hogs

Ravenwood Stockmen Get $13 For Shipment Of Their Own Raising.—Over 600 Head This Year.

W. W. Burch and Sons, on the J. B. Robinson farm South of Ravenwood, shipped three car loads of hogs which sold on the St. Joseph market yesterday for $13. They were all of their own raising and Mr. Burch was well pleased with the sale. They are substantial farmers, who specialize in the production of hogs, having raised over six hundred head this year.

Community Meeting Held at Bloomfield

Play, 'At Harmony Junction,'' Is Feature of Entertainment Tuesday Night.

A very successful community meeting was held at the Bloomfield school Tuesday night. A short, snappy program was given, the feature being a short play, ''At Harmony Junction,'' and a spelling match.

This is the fifth successful meeting held at this school. The next meeting will be held about the first week in April.

About seven weeks of school remain and this meeting will probably be the last one.

John Hood is teacher at the Bloomfield school.

Girls Discuss Beauty of Life at Meeting

The Girls' Reserve of the Maryville High School, met this morning, at the activity hour, at which time discussions on the theme of, ''Beauty'' were held.

The devotions were led by Noreen White, after which the Lord's prayer was repeated.

The talks were:

''Beauty of Thought''—Alice Swinford.

''Beauty of Conduct''—Virginia Nicholas.

Various Talks Given at Claytonian Meet

The Claytonian Literary Society of the Maryville High School met this morning at which time a program of miscellaneous talks were given.

They were:

''Exploration in Dark Afriea''—Carl King.

''History of Bell Telephone Company'' Ralph Snoderly.

''Basketball Tournament''—Paris Phipps and Lauren Yeo.

''Advantages of A Tournament''—Jack Gray.

W. H. Dunn of Hatfield, Mo., was a Maryville visitor today.

Believe Still May Have Caused Fire

Regarding the origin of the fire which, Saturday night, destroyed the Wolfers mill at Hopkins, with a loss of approximately $20,000, this week's Hopkins Journal has the following:

The origin of the fire is unknown. You can hear a hundred different theories. An oil stove and some barrel hoops were found in the debris, making some believe a still had been in operation, causing the fire. Others think the fire may have started from the stump of a cigar thrown down by someone who had been playing cards in the mill, but the general opinion is it was purposly set on fire, incendirasim being a disease with some men. A determined effort is to be made to run down the guilty party or parties.

W. P. F. A. TO HEAR LEADER

STATE PRESIDENT TO ADDRESS CONVENTION AT BARNARD.

TO BE HELD SATURDAY

District Meeting Will Start At 10 A. M., With Sessions In Christian Church.

Mrs. W. A. Beal of Ash Grove, state president of the Missouri Women's Progressive Farmers Association, is expected at Barnard Saturday to address the Fourth District Convention of that organization, to be held at the Christian Church.

Other leaders prominent in the movement will be present, according to an announcement by Mrs. Dora Goff of Barnard, secretary-treasurer of the county organization. Members of the Missouri Farmers Association, as well as the women's organization, are invited to attend.

The program will commence at 10 o'clock and will be as follows:

Morning.

Song, ''America,'' by all.

Prayer, led by Mrs. Goff.

Welcome address, Mrs. Margaret Bridges, Barnard.

Response, Mrs. Roderick, Rosendale.

Roll call.

Unfinished business.

Reports of local club secretaries and county officers.

Lunch: 12 o'clock.

Afternoon.

Song, Andrew County.

Address, Mrs. W. A. Beal, state president.

Song, Lamaster sisters of Guilford.

Round table discussion, led by Mrs. Goff.

Talk, by Miss Klara Munkres, Rosendale, secretary-treasurer of state organization.

Song, Pickering Club.

Starmer Withdraws From Mayor's Race

St. Joseph Man Will Not Enter Democratic Primary But May Run As Independent.

St. Joseph, Mo., March 11.—George G. Starmer, president of the board of public works, late yesterday withdrew as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for mayor of St. Joseph. Simultaneously he announced he was considering making the race on an independent ticket.

Starmer's withdrawl leaves Louis V. Stigall, attorney, as the only announced Democratic candidate for the nomination. In the event no other candidate files by Friday noon, a mayoralty primary, scheduled for March 16, will be called off.

Starmer explained he was withdrawing as a candidate ''because I cannot accept the program of the committee and will not bind myself to support a candidate nominated by such a procedure.'' He referred to the primary election plan adopted by the committee March 6, designating only one voting place in each of ten wards in the city.

Farm Southeast of Clearmont Is Sold

Jessie Fisher yesterday sold to Ella, Mary and Bessie Combs the south half of the southwest quarter of section 27 and the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section 34, all in township 66, range 36. The farm includes 120 acres about four miles southeast of Clearmont. The consideration was $1.

Guy Wilson of Sheridan visited in Maryville today.

TWO MORE 4-H CLUBS FORMED

TIME FOR ORGANIZATION IS AT HAND, FLEETWOOD.

EXPECT MANY OTHERS

Work Has Been Going on in Nodaway County for Five Years With Success.

Organization of two 4-H clubs in the Rockford community was completed yesterday by J. Ross Fleetwood, county extension agent. One of these is a sow and litter club and is made up of boys. Eight girls make up the other which is a sewing club.

Dale Partridge and Mrs. Jerry Fisher are the local leaders who will sponsor the club work. Plans laid by the extension service of the College of Agriculture, University of Missouri, will be carried out in these clubs, which are the first organized since January 1.

Mr. Fleetwood said today that the time for organizing 4-H clubs is at hand and that there will likely be from six to eight other clubs formed in Nodaway County within the next two months.

Besides these two clubs the only other two actually organized are in the Myrtle Tree community and the Harmony community. Plans are now being worked out in Hopkins, Burlington Junction, Graham, where there will be three clubs, and Ravenwood.

This is the fifth year for 4-H clubs in Nodaway County. On the whole, the project has grown in every respect. Last year there were five clubs in the county.

All material for the carying on of the clubs is furnished free of charge by the extension service. Training for local leaders is also given.

In commenting on the latter, Mr. Fleetwood said today that much of the success of 4-H clubs is do to efficient local leaders, and one of the greatest of organization problems is to find efficient persons who will serve in that capacity and assist in making the work a success.

An innovation in 4-H club work this year will be a sow and litter show in St. Joseph at the same time as the baby beef show, and modeled along the same lines.

Extension specialists from the College of Agriculture who come to Maryville this year will include in their work and inspection of all 4-H clubs in the county.

Those who are members of the sow and litter club in the Rockford community are: Laverne Worl, Skidmore; Lester Reaksecker, jr., Maryville; Eugent B. Moore, Maryville; Harold Bailey, Skidmore; Marion Daken, Skidmore; Eldon Williams, Maryville; and Kenneth Evans, Maryville.

Those in the sewing club are: Evelyn Evans, Maryville; Mildred Williams, Maryville; Mary Alice Jones, Maryville; Nina Kime, Maryville; Helen Busby, Maryville; Lois Daken, Skidmore; Gladys DeWitt, Skidmore; and Dolla Belle Smith, Maryville.

The average age of the boys is 13 years and that of the girls is 14 years.

Baby Is Recovering From Injury in Fall

Richard Hempel, 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hempel, is recovering today from an injury sustained when he fell on an oven door yesterday morning. The baby was slightly cut on the lip.

Mrs. Hulet's Mother Dies at Gentry, Mo.

Word was received today of the death of Mrs. J. F. Beauchamp of Gentry, Mo., mother of Mrs. George Hulet of Maryville, which occurred at her home at 8 o'clock this morning. Mrs. Hulet had been at her mother's bedside about a week. Mrs. Beauchamp had been failing in health for some time. Mr. Beauchamp died about a year ago.

Three Parnell Men Fined $5 and Costs

T. O. Moore, Freemont Lyle and Fred Messbarger of Parnell were fined $5 and costs by E. T. Gaynor, justice of peace at Parnell, for operating motor cars without licenses, according to information received by George Pat Wright, prosecuting attorney.

Several others are to be arrested for their failure to get license plates.

R. J. Wolfe is in Lincoln, Nebr., today on business.

Political Prisoners' Fate Now Discussed

Government Considering Restoration of Citizenship to Those Guilty of War Crimes, Sargent Says.

Washington, March 11.—The question of restoring citizenship to all war-time political prisoners is under consideration by the government, Attorney General Sargent announced today.

Three plans are proposed. The first is a general clemency order by President Coolidge under which individuals convicted for seditious utterances and other war crimes would not be required to take the oath of allegiance to the Constitution that those receiving pardons, and the third by a general amnesty law treating political prisoners as a group.

CAGE TOURNEY IS UNDER WAY

WESTBORO AND NEW POINT ARE EARLY WINNERS.

M. H. S. PLAY TONIGHT

Local Team Will Meet Hopkins.—Barnard Defeats Sheridan.—Forest City Wins.

Results This Afternoon.

Westboro, 36; Darlington, 10.

New Point, 40; Gower, 38.

Barnard, 30; Sheridan, 20.

Forest City, 22; Mound City, 12.

Games Late This Afternoon.

3:45 o'clock—Rock Port vs. Stanberry; Conception Junction vs. Rosendale.

4:30 o'clock—Hamilton vs. Cameron; Fillmore vs. Faucett.

5:15 o'clock—King City vs. Burlington Junction; Fairfax vs. Parnell.

Games Tonight.

Hale vs. Savannah, 6 p. m.

Rock Port vs. Stanberry, 6:45 p. m.

Pickering vs. Holt, 6:45 p. m.

Maitland vs. Westboro, 7:30 p. m.

Maryville vs. Hopkins, 7:30 p. m.

Grant City vs. Oregon, 8:15 p. m.

Mound City or Forest City vs. Barnard or Sheridan, 8:15 p. m.

Chillicothe vs. Maysville, 9 p. m.

Conception Junction or Rosendale vs. New Point, 9 p m.

Worth or Hatfield vs. Harmony or Ravenwood, 9:45 p. m.

The Northwest Missouri High School Basketball tournament started at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon in the State Teachers College gymnasium with a victory for Westboro and New Point in the first two Class B games.

The games of the tournament up to the championship and grand championship rounds will be played on the two courts in the gymnasium. These last two rounds will be played on the one large court. Seven minute quarters are being played up to the semi-final round, when they will be lengthened to 10 minutes.

The Maryville High School team will play tonight at 7:30 o'clock against the Hopkins team. This game and the one between Rosendale and New Point, providing Rosendale wins from Conception Junction, should be the high lights of tonight.

John Bunn, freshman coach at the University of Kansas, and ''Tad'' Reid, Warrensburg coach, are the referees of the tournament.

Present plans indicate that it will not be necessary to play any games tomorrow morning.

Hectic Game Ends 40-38.

The New Point-Gower game furnished the sensation of the afternoon. New Point won by a 40 to 38 score. It was a hectic game. New Point led at the end of the first quarter, 12 to 6, and at the half, 21 to 14. In the third quarter, however, McMillan, Gower forward, hit a scoring spree and the period ended with the score 27 to 26 in favor of New Point.

The fourth quarter was a nip and tuck affair, first one team leading and then the other. With 7 seconds to go, Kneale, New Point forward, shot the goal which broke the tied score and won for his team.

The line-ups:

New Point (40): Kneale, Acton and McIntyre, forwards; Morris, center; Lowden and Hamm, guards.

Gower (38): Gibson and McMahan, forwards; Taylor, center; Starks and Smith, guards.

Westboro had little difficulty with Darlington in the first game of the afternoon, winning 36 to 10. It was a steady climb for the victors, who led all the way. At the end of the first quarter, the score stood 11 to 0; at the half it was 15 to 4; at three quarters it

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AGENCY YOUTH BEST SPELLER

NORMAN ST. JOHN WINS DISRICT HIGH SCHOOL CONTEST.

PARNELL GIRL THIRD

Rural Championship Goes to Clay County and Grade School Honors To Harrison.

The Winners.

High School Division: First Norman St. John, Buchanan County; second, Mildred Munkres, Holt County; third, Rachel Ingram, Nodaway County.

Elementary Division: First, Lois Cocklin, Harrison County; second, Bonidean Garrison, Gentry County; third, Charlotte Copp, Atchison County.

Rural Division: First, Charles Runyon, Clay County; second, Ruby Cotton, Holt County; third, Enid Witt, Platte County.

Norman St. John, Agency high school boy, is spelling champion of Northwest Missouri. Meeting the picked spellers from seventeen counties today in the district contest at the State Teachers College, he finished first in his class and was the only one of all the contestants to go through without missing a word.

Rachel Ingram, pride of Parnell High School, Nodaway County representative and last year's district champion, finished third.

The high school, grade and rural divisions spelled the same words, which were pronounced to them in one group. The papers, however, were graded by classes.

Words Much Harder.

The words this year were much harder than last. There were no breathing spells while long lists of easy words were pronounced. Every one was a poser.

It took only one list of 100 words to decide the grade school contest and two places in the rural division. There was a tie for third place between two rural school pupils and they spelled fifty more words. The high school contestants were given 200 words.

Lois Cocklin, who won in the grade division, missed three of the first 100 words. Miss Cocklin's home is in Ridgeway.

The second place winner, Bonidean Garrison lives in McFall. She missed five words. Charlotte Copp of Tarkio, in third place missed six words.

Honorable mention in this division was given to Irene Smith of Gallatin, Daviess County; Martha Wamsley, Cameron, Clinton County; and Frances Smith, Mound City, Holt County. They each missed eight words.

A Tie In Rural Class.

On the first 100 words in the rural contest, Charles Runyon won first by missing but four words. Ruby Cotton took second by missing but six. Enid Witt and Mildred Nally, the latter from Harrison County, each missed seven. On the spell-off, Miss Witt missed but seven of the fifty additional words, while Miss Nally missed eleven.

Four high school contestants survived the first round of 100 words missing none. The beginning of the second round saw St. John, the Agency boy, pitted against three girls. He did not falter. Writing earnestly, he spelled the second hundred words without a miss. Miss Munkres, Mound City's representative, missed but one, and Miss Ingram missed five. Honorable mention went to Verla Minor of Santa Rosa, DeKalb County.

Each of the winners received gold, silver and bronze medals respectively for first, second and third places, and the counties which furnished the first place winners were awarded banners.

The High School Entries.

The entries in the high school contest, by counties, was as follows:

Nodaway, Rachel Ingram, Parnell; Grundy, Elsie Louderback, Spickard, taking the place of Mary Tolle, Galt; Livingston, Fay Hopper, Utica; DeKalb, Verla Minor, Santa Rosa; Andrew, Agnes Irwin, Helena; Worth, no high school entry; Buchanan, Norman St. John, Agency; Platte, Anita Linville, Parkville; Harrison, no high school entry; Mercer, Harry Oliver, Princeton taking the place of Selva Cunningham.

Clay, Glen Taylor, Holt; Gentry, Florence Spiers, Albany; Holt, Mildred Munkres, Mound City; Atchison, Clifford Million; Daviess, Caroline Bray, Jamesport; Ray, Ruth Mosby, Richmond; Clinton, Irene Potter, Turney.

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Many Newspapers Are Taking Dry Law Polls

Country Now Engaged In Most Extensive Referendum On National Policy Ever Attempted.

New York, March 11.—The country is now engaged in the most extensive referendum on a question of national policy ever attempted—the newspaper polls on prohibition.

More than 400 newspapers from coast to coast and from Canada to Mexico are taking straw ballots in their communities to sound out sentiment.

Dry leaders have warned prohibitionists not to vote, charging the poll is not representative, that it is dominated by wets who are not in sympathy with the present law.

AN INQUIRY IN TARIFF BOARD

SENATE SUB-COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT INVESTIGATION.

WOULD GOVERN MINES

Wheeler Calls Situation ''Intolerable''—Anti-Mexico Resolution Introduced—Wets Gain Point.

Washington, March 11.—The Senate today ordered a special investigation of the United States tariff commission. There was no record vote.

The inquiry will be conducted by a committee of five instead of by the finance committee as originally proposed by Senator Robinson, Democrat of Arkansas.

Washington, March 11.—Immediate withdrawal of diplomatic recognition of Mexico by the United States was provided under a resolution introduced in the House today by Representative Boylan, Democrat of New York.

''The President,'' the resolution said, ''should withdraw diplomatic recognition of Mexico until such time as the policies and conduct of the government in relation to educational and religious institutions of all creeds and nationalities justify a resumption of relations.''

Washington, March 11.—Declaring that an ''intolerable situation'' existed in the American coal industry, Senator Burton K. Wheeler, Democrat of Montana, this afternoon sponsored a bill authorizing nationalization of all anthracite mines in time of emergency.

The bill would create a federal anthracite corporation with authority to seize and operate the hard coal mines in event of strike.

Washington, March 11.—The drive from Senate wets for public hearings on proposals to modify the prohibition law came one step nearer its goal today when the Senate judiciary committee voted to turn the question over to a sub-committee for decision, the sub-committee to be named by Senator Albert Cummins, Republican of Iowa.

The sub-committee will hold private hearings upon all measures now before the Senate seeking modification of prohibition and render a report to the full committee. A final decision then will be reached upon the question of holding public hearings.

Washington, March 11.—The McFadden bill, equalizing taxation of national banks by the state to conform with divergent state laws was favorably reported today by the House banking and currency committee.

The measure provides four means of legal national bank taxation by states. Imposition of any one of them excludes individuals and corporation from paying the other three. The forms are: A tax on national bank stock, tax on dividends or personal or net incomes.

Washington, March 11.—There will be no legislation at this session for either compulsory or voluntary consolidation of railroads into a few great system, it was predicted today by Senator Watson, Republican of Indiana, after a conference with President Coolidge at the White House.

Watson indicated that lack of time Nickel Plate decision would stay the rather than hesitancy because of the action of Congress.

Government Bonds Are Now All Subscribed

Washington, March 11.—Subscriptions for the government's new twenty and thirty-year bonds have reached 500 million dollars and the books will be closed at once, the treasury department announced today.

BRIAND HOPES FOR HARMONY

FRENCH PREMIER DETERMINED TO SAVE LOCARNO.

SURE OF CONFIDENCE

Briand, Upon Arrival At Geneva, Says France Backs Him In His Role Of Mediator At Session.

Geneva, March 11.—Aristide Briand is determined not to let the League of Nations dispute develop into any general European discord, he told the International News upon his arrival here from Paris today.

The French premier showed plainly the signs of the great strain he has undergone.

''The era of European peace is now beginning. It began at Locarno and nothing must happen to check it,'' said the premier.

''Before leaving Paris, I conferred with the president of the republic, the presidents of the Senate and Chamber and I am certain that I have the confidence of the French people, and the interests I will defend here are really those of France,'' said M. Briand.

This afternoon Briand was to attempt the role of mediator before the secret session of the League Council. The deadlock no longer appears to center around Germany, France and Great Britain. It is apparently due to the unyielding attitude of Sweden and Brazil.

Trial for Fifth Time on Charge of Robbery

Brother of "Jelly Roll" Hogan, St. Louis Gangster Leader, Has Long Delay Record.

Union, Mo., March 11.—James B. Hogan, brother of Edward J. ("Jelly Roll") Hogan, leader of the Hogan gang of St. Louis, was scheduled to go on trial here today for the fifth time on a charge of robbing a negro messenger of the North St. Louis Savings Trust Co., five years ago.

At the first trial Hogan was convicted and sentenced to fifteen years. The prosecution was permitted to put policemen on the stand to testify that Eirr Pillow, the bank messenger had identified Hogan as one of the bandits.

For this reason, the Supreme Court ordered a new trial which resulted in a hung jury, as did two subsequent trials.

Following the fourth trial, a grand jury investigation was made to determine whether the jury failed to reach a verdict but no indictment was returned.

Report U. S. May Ask Abandonment

Government Is Said To Be Seeking Another Plan Of Settling Tacna-Arica Boundary Dispute.

Washington, March 11.—Reports that the American government is considering abandonment of the plebiscitary plan for settling the Tacna-Arica boundary dispute between Peru and Chili and is endeavoring to find another means of adjusting the ancient controversy could neither be confirmed or denied here today.

The state department did not comment.

Arrested, Yet French Leaves for Capital

Contempt Of Court Proceedings Filed In Connection With Test Of Recent State Law.

Kirksville, March 11.—Although technically under arrest, State Finance Commissioner C. E. French actually left here today for his office in Jefferson City. Contempt of court is the charge against French, brought in connection with the test of a recent state law which would require the finance commissioner to furnish information about banks under his jurisdiction in civil as well as criminal suits.

Sentence on the charge was put off by a writ of habeas corpus, asked for by assistant attorney-general Frank who accompanied French here to take the necessary legal steps to free the finance commissioner.

Weather

Friday partly cloudy; not much change in temperature.

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THE ONLY DAILY PAPER IN NODAWAY COUNTY

Back to Capital to Battle Justice Stone

Colonel Ownbey, Richer Than Last Year, Returns To Washington To Renew Warfare.

By CHARLES P. STEWART
NEA Service Writer

Washington—Having dug up some more evidence and a little money the redoubtable Colonel James A. Ownbey of Colorado, who tried to keep the Senate from confirming President Coolidge's appointment of Harlan F. Stone to the federal supreme bench, is back in Washington again, still very much on the warpath.

In fact, more so. At any rate, he's more formidable, being better heeled financially.

He expects to increase the size of his wad, too. Every additional dollar he gets his hands on will be just that much more ammunition for him. "I'll be a millionaire again before I die," he assured me. The colonel's only 72.

Colonel Ownbey was so sore when the Senate confirmed Stone, that he declared he was going to quit the United States cold, renounce his citizenship and spend the rest of his life elsewhere.

But he soon realized that that wasn't what he really wanted to do. He really wanted to stop here and go on fighting.

He was broken, however, and warfare calls for money. So the colonel pitched in and in a year he cleaned up $15,000 as a mining expert, which isn't so bad for a man of his number of summers.

The colonel's hostility toward Stone is incidental to his sentiments concerning a litigation in which the present supreme justice's then firm of Satterlee, Canfield & Stone appeared as counsel against him for the estate of the late J. P. Morgan, Sr.

Birmingham, Ala., had a saxophone contest, but the winner escaped.

Read the Want Ads.

Willie Willis

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"The reason teacher was so figety today was because I had seven of my dogs fleas in a little box an' she took it away from me."

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Says Ignorance Costs More Than Education

Governor Sam Baker Tells Of Various Positions He Has Held And Advises Somes Definite Goal.

Mexico, Mo, March 11.—"Education costs, but ignorance costs more," Governor Sam A. Baker told high school students here.

"As a farm boy," the governor reminisced, "I taught an orphan calf to drink from a pail; as a section hand, the ring of the spike maul against the steel spike made some of the sweetest music I ever heard, and as a lumber grader in the camps and mills I have gone through varied experiences.

"As a country postoffice clerk, it seemed to me I was licking all the stamps in our section of the country," the governor continued. "Successively since that time I have been a country school teacher, a village teacher, city superintendent, a state superintendent of schools, and now for the past year, governor of our state of Missouri, but I have not yet seen any boy or girl who wanted to stand among their fellows as the peer of all men, who could not accomplish this by setting out toward their goal with might and main," Governor Baker concluded.

Radio Conference Is Delayed Until Autumn

Although State Department Refuses To Make Comment, It Is Thought Nations Withheld Support.

Washington, March 11 (United Press)—The international radio conference scheduled to meet in Washington this spring, has been indefinitely delayed.

Though state department officials declined to comment today, it is understood that major nations among the 45 invited are withholding their support.

Because of a conflicting international telegraph conference called by France, the Washington conference was postponed first last spring and again last autumn.

American officials, however, will continue their preparatory work, convinced that difficulties arising out of the existing radio convention of 1912 will soon induce all governments concerned to co-operate in a new agreement here.

Next autumn has been set informally as the date for the conference, for which congress has already voted $92,000.

The agenda will include revision of the 1912 London international radio-telegraph convention, international supervision of radio communication between large fixed stations, broadcasting, radio telephony, elimination of interference, radio aids to navigation, and purposes for which radio has been used as a result of development of the art since 1912.

Crap Game Earnings Listed by Taxpayer

Most Unusual Return Received At Denver Revenue Office Gives Regular Business As "Clerk."

Denver, Colo., March 11.—The most unusual income tax return ever received by F. D. Howbert, local collector of internal revenue, was received today when a man, whose name and address he refused to divulge, listed $30,000 earnings last year from crap games, and paid a tax thereon of approximately $1,000.

In spite of this enormous profit at gambling, the man gave his regular business as a clerk with a salary of $2,000 annually.

Howbert said that his branch of the government is not interested in how a man earns his money, but how much he earns.

Valuable Violins Are Discovered by Owners

Mt. Vernon, Ill., March 11.—A number of genuine Stradivarious violins, ranging in age from 189 to 216 years and worth fabulous sums, have come to light here in the last ten days.

The violins were discovered by their owners to be of the valuable make after publication of a story in a local paper, which reported a similar find in Herrin, Ill. The genuiness of five of the distinguishing marks which the violins bear.

The five are inscribed with the name "Antonius Stradivarius," and the city and date of manufacture.

Colorado Visitor Here.

C. W. Arens of Sedgwick, Colo., spent Tuesday in Maryville with his brothers-in-law, B. F. Dougan and M. J. Dougan, and his sister-in-law, Mrs. John Gallagher. Mr. Arens had sold a shipment of cattle in Omaha on Monday and took advantage of the opportunity for a short visit here.

Senator Borah might get arrested for contempt of the world court.

What Jerry Says

The melancholy days have come,
I cant tell what to sing;
For the mornings feel like winter,
And the afternoons like spring.

How Doctors Treat Colds and the Flu

To break up a cold overnight or to cut short an attack of grippe, influenza, sore throat or tonsillitis, physicians and druggists are now recommending Calotabs, the purified and refined calomel compound tablet that gives you the effects of calomel and salts combined, without the unpleasant effects of either.

One or two Calotabs at bed-time with a swallow of water,—that's all. No salts, no nausea nor the slightest interference with your eating, work or pleasure. Next morning your cold has vanished, your system is thoroughly purified and you are feeling fine with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Eat what you please,—no danger.

Get a family package, containing full directions, only 35 cents. At any drug store. (adv)

Gaugh & Evans

INSIST UPON KEMP'S BALSAM for that COUGH

Gives Advice to Expectant Mothers

"I ADVISE all expectant mothers to use Mother's Friend," writes Mrs. Wesley Miller, Hudson, Mich. "I have had nine children. With my first three I suffered for 24 hours. Beginning with the fourth I used Mother's Friend and was sick only 15 minutes. Since then I have had five and was only sick about 10 minutes with each."

Mother's Friend is the formula of an eminent physician and has been a positive blessing to thousands of expectant mothers for *over three generations*. Used daily, externally, it soothes the nerves and muscles as month follows month. Finally it makes childbirth a joy!

The mothers who praise Mother's Friend the most are those who did not use it with their first baby but through its use with the second, were able to realize its almost unbelievable results.

Mother! Insist on Mother's Friend—the same as used by our mothers and grandmothers—don't wait—start using tonight—and meanwhile write Bradfield Regulator Co., Dept. 34, Atlanta, Ga., for *free* valuable booklet "Motherhood and the Coming Baby" (sent in plain envelope). It tells how Mother's Friend can help you during expectancy and at childbirth. This booklet also tells you many other things you want to know. "Mother's Friend" is sold by all druggists—*everywhere*.

WOMEN OF MIDDLE AGE

Praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Mrs. Annie Kwinski of 526 1st Avenue, Milwaukee, Wis., writes that she became so weak and run-down that she was not able to do her housework. She saw the name Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the paper and said to her husband, "I will try that medicine and see if it will help me." She says she took six bottles and is feeling much better.

Mrs. Mattie Adams, who lives in Downing Street, Brewton, Ala., writes as follows: "A friend recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and since taking it I feel like a different woman."

With her children grown up, the middle-aged woman finds time to do the things she never had time to do before—read the new books, see the new plays, enjoy her grand-children, take an active part in church and civic affairs. Far from being pushed aside by the younger set, she finds a full, rich life of her own. That is, if her health is good.

Thousands of women past fifty, say they owe their vigor and health to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and are recommending it to their friends and neighbors.

You can almost feel RHEUMATISM disappear!

THAT miserable ache from inflamed, swollen muscles—GONE! Rheumatism conquered! Driven right out of the system—simply by building rich, red blood.

Sounds almost incredible—but it's true! You see, rheumatism, as it is called, that cripples you up and tortures you night and day, is caused by impurities in the system. Weak, impoverished blood can't throw off these impurities—so rheumatism remains.

S. S. S. helps Nature build back your blood to fighting strength—builds red-blood-cells by the millions! Red blood purifies the system—rheumatism is driven right out.

Get this wonderful relief yourself! Thousands are doing it! S. S. S. has been stopping rheumatism by building up red cells in the blood for generations. It will do the same for you.

S. S. S. also cleanses your skin of blemishes—increases your appetite—puts power and strength and energy in your body. Get S. S. S. today from any druggist. The larger bottle is more economical.

S.S.S.

Every Woman Mentally Asks Herself, How Can I Remain Youthful and Attractive?

Women, permit us to say that the only lasting prescription for good looks is good health.

When you begin to feel constant fatigue, take a good herbal tonic, such as

DR. PIERCE'S GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY

and a soft flush will gradually take the place of the pallor of the cheeks, the appetite will return and health and vivacity will follow.

All dealers. Fluid or tablet form. Send 10c. for Trial Package to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

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Any day this week, or $7.50 at car.
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Southern Arizona

Castle Hot Springs, in the Bradshaw Mountains, is a valley of peace, off the beaten path—golf and mountain hiking and pony riding.

Phoenix, in Salt River Valley, has many attractions for the tourist.

The San Marcos, at Chandler, is a delightful resort hotel—golf and horseback riding.

Ingleside Inn and its cottages are surrounded by olive, orange and date groves—covering a square mile.

New through Pullman daily to Phoenix on the exclusively first-class California Limited.

Ask for "Arizona Winter" picture folder.

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Clothes for Young Men

These new Spring Suits have the dash and style which young men demand in their Clothes. You can be well dressed in our Clothes without feeling overdressed. If you have never been able to get just what you have wanted in Suits before at the price you wanted to pay, our stock will provide it for you now.

The New Florsheim Shoes and the New Stetson Hats are Here.

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Though the Automobile Tax Reduction Law will not become effective until March 28, we make this reduction

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Protecting Hudson-Essex buyers many days in advance. So there is no reason to wait. Buy now.

New Prices
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Essex 6 Coach	$ 905
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Remember these are not "f. o. b. factory prices," but the delivered prices at your door including freight, remaining war tax, and the following equipment:

Bumpers Front and Rear — Electric Windshield Cleaner
Rear View Mirror — Transmission Lock (Built in)
Radiator Shutters — Combination Stop and Tail Light
Motor Meter

Easy Terms of Course—No Delivery Handling Charge

Hudson-Carlson Motor Co.
Kramer Garage — Fifth at Main

Hudson-Essex—World's largest builder of "Sixes" and third largest producers of motor cars.

Pickering Needlework Club.

Members of the Pickering Needlework Club held an all-day meeting yesterday at the home of Miss Blanche Hinton. Quilting was the diversion for the day. The following members were present. Mrs. C. G. McMillen, Mrs. E. L. Crowson, Mrs. E. W. Croy, Mrs. W. E. Johnson, Mrs. J. C. Carmichael, Mrs. W. E. Hinton, Mrs. Gordon Swinford, Mrs J. W. Wiley, Mrs. O. G. Null, Mrs. Wilbur Smith, Mrs. Agnes Lunte, Mrs. J. N. Geyer and the hostess. Additional guests were Mrs. Louisa Hinton, Mrs. W. A. Neal, Mrs. Roland Wray of Maryville, Miss Louisa Hinton, Willie Eli Hinton and Dean Morrison Wiley. The club will hold an all-day meeting with Mrs. W. E. Hinton on March 24.

Hosts at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wolfe entertained at a 6 o'clock dinner Wednesday evening when their guests included Misses Margaret Sorrie, Alcyene Smith, Hazel Anderson and Mildred Jackson.

Club Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the Skidmore Neighborly Club, to have been held yesterday afternoon, was postponed. The meeting next week will be at the home of Mrs. J. O. Miller when a book review will be given by Mrs. Minnie McMahon.

Eastern Star Chapter.

The regular meeting of Rosanna Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, will be held at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow night at I. O. O. F. Hall. There will be initiation and a class in proficiency. Visiting members of the order welcome.

Hosts to Supper Club.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Watkins were hosts to the Wednesday Supper Club at their new home on West Third street last night. Mrs. Ralph Berger and George P. Sillers won the high-score prizes in the bridge game and the consolation favor went to Mrs. Kyle Phares. The club members include, in addition to the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Phares, Mr. and Mrs. H. Frank Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. George P. Sillers, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Berger and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wadley. Mrs. Charles J. Koock of Oregon, Mo., mother of Mrs. Watkins, was an additional guest.

Fairview Wants Billy Miles Next Sheriff

The Journal's Fairview correspondent this wek, pays Deputy Sheriff Billy Miles a nice compliment, deciding that he is the right man to become sheriff when Mr. Campbell is through with the job.

Now, we do not vote the same ticket that Billy does, but we want to add that he is all wool and a yard wide when it comes to running down criminals and enforcing the law, and if elevated to the sheriffship, no one would have reason to complain for the office not being properly filled. Billy is as clean as a hound's tooth, going about his business in a quiet, assuming manner, never looking for trouble but ready to fight his weight in wild cats if the occasion requires.—Hopkins Journal.

Mrs. Charles Beaver of Council Bluffs, Ia., who has been visiting relatives in Elmo, came to Maryville today to be the guest of Mrs. Mamie Clardy and Miss Nettie Beaver.

TEA ROOM

The most inviting place in town to have your lunch or dinner. Home-cooked meals.

Yehle Dry Goods Co.

BEAUTY SHOPPE

A corps of efficient operators ready to serve you and anxious to please you.

Economy Days

Friday and Saturday

Our offerings of new, dependable merchandise are becoming famous all over Northwest Missouri for their unmatchable low pricings. You, too, may enjoy the big savings offered on these two days.

Complete New Spring Stocks

LARGER THAN EVER BEFORE SHOWN ARE HERE FOR YOUR CHOOSING with a standing, positive guarantee backed by twenty-nine years of service to you, that every price, evry day, all the time, shall be as low or lower than can be had anywhere.

For Home Sewers

36 inch Printed Silk and Cotton Crepes, 36 inch Printed Rayon, in stripes and plaids, all of the best qualities only; choose, from all, the yard 95c
Rayon in new effects, yard 89c
Rayon in lighter weights, yard 59c
Pongee, pure thread silks, in all new Spring colorings, yard $1.69

THE BIGGEST VALUES EVER OFFERED

40 inch, pure thread silk, block printed, Crepe de Chine, Georgettes, Flat Crepe, Roshanara Crepe, Chiffon Voiles, and in the solid colorings, Flat Crepe, Crepe de Chine, and Bengalines—more than five thousand yards from which to choose—choice, yard..... $1.95

36 inch Sunsheen Prints, yard 50c
36 inch Broadcloths, stripes, figures, etc., yard 59c
32 inch Zephyr Ginghams, in solid colors and in stripes, plaids and checks, yd., 19c
Apron Ginghams and Cheviots, large assortment, yard 15c
Lingerie Cloths, drop stitch Voiles, Plisse Crepes, in all wanted shades, yard..... 25c
36 inch Sattens, for bloomers and slips, yard 39c

Toiletries

State Teachers College double Compact, in all shades of powder and rouge..... $1.95
State Teachers College single Compact in all shades of powder $1.00
—Made especially for the students with the College colors.
75c Palmolive Shampoo 50c
50c Pompeian Night Cream 39c
25c Squibbs Talcum 19c
50c Schratz's Oriental Bath Powder..... 39c
Palmolive Shaving Cream and After Shaving Tale, regular 60c value, the 2 for 45c
75c Mai-Dor Face Powder 50c

Economy Days in the Center Aisle

Silk Gloves, one lot, sizes 6 to 6½ only, 50c
One lot, sizes 7, 7½ and 8 ..... $1.00
Silk Scarfs, all colors $3.95
Windsor Ties, figured and plain..... $1.00
Lucky Day Aprons in assorted colors, stamped for embroidery $1.00
Boudoir Sets, consisting of Pillow, Scarf and Vanity, now so much in vogue. Stamped on colored shadow striped lawn—
Scarf and Vanity 59c
Pillow to match 25c

TWEED

There are lots of new things to know about Tweed.

Many new versions of Tweed have been designed. Some are very loosely woven, soft and supple, just ideal for sports and street wear. Their combinations of colors are lovely. There is one which has brown, tan and harmonizing shades of red woven into a unique pattern.

Many are designed in various shades of one color. These make exceedingly smart swagger looking top coats.

The finely woven Tweeds also present some striking new patterns. See them before planning your sports and street outfits.

Attractive pricings from **$10.75** to **$59.75**

Sale of Welworth House Dresses

When such a remarkable selling as this comes along, the foresighted housewife will select three or four of these dresses and have enough for all this summer's wear. They are made of dainty flowered English prints, linens and satinettes. The Welworth dress is perfect fitting, launders beautifully and selling at an exceptionally low price of two dollars.

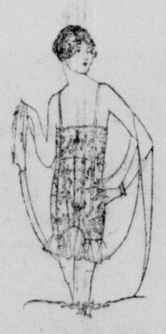
$2.00

Beneath the Frock You are planning on

American Lady Corset

Fashionably boned with Mightybone.

Our corset department is now showing all the latest American Lady models designed especially for this season's modes. Models for sports, for dancing, for general wear—models for every figure, for every purpose. All of them daintily fashioned and priced most accommodatingly.



Hosiery

Our new dollar pure Silk Chiffon Hose, are proving to be the best ever offered for this little price.

New shades received this week, just out of the dye pots. Blue fox, opal grey, atmosphere, rose, Beige, naturelle, sauturne, and ascot tan; these added to all the other spring colorings, makes choosing easy and all for, the pair $1.00

Philippino Hand-Made

Gowns

Hand embroidered on fine nainsook, shades of flesh, peach and white, artistic designs—Economy Days $1.25

For Home Sewers

Sheetings, sheets, tubings, pillow casings and muslins, all specially priced for ECONOMY DAYS.

Pequot Bleached Sheetings

6-4 sheeting, 45c value 40c
7-4 sheeting, 60c value 55c
8-4 sheeting, 65c value 60c
9-4 sheeting, 69c value 65c
10-4 sheeting, 73c value 68c
36 inch tubings, 45c value 40c
40 inch tubings, 50c value 45c
42 inch tubings, 55c value 50c
42 inch tubings 55c
81x90 sheets $1.75
42 inch pillow cases, pair $1.25
36 inch bleached muslins 29c

Pepperell

This well known standard sheeting will give long wear and complete satisfaction in every way.
7-4 bleached sheeting, 40c value 35c
8-4 bleached sheeting, 45c value 40c
9-4 bleached sheeting, 50c value 45c
10-4 bleached sheeting, 57½c value..... 55c
36 inch tubings 30c
40 inch tubings 35c
42 inch tubings 35c
45 inch tubings 39c
81x90 sheets $1.50
42 inch pillow cases $1.00

Wearwell

Bleached muslin, good weight, with a tape edge and a standard sheeting with many families.
7-4 bleached 45c
8-4 bleached 47c
9-4 bleached 52c
10-4 bleached 57c
42 inch pillow cases 83c

Special Economy Days Offerings on bleached Victoria Sheets, 81x90, hemstitched for $1.95
Bleached Eastland or Peerless, 81x90 Sheets 95c
Bleached, special 42 inch pillow cases..... 69c

Yard Wide Bleached Muslins

Hope, yard 16c
Daisy, yard 16c
Lonsdale, yard 23c

TOLLES CLOTHING CO.

Opened for business in Maryville one year ago. We are celebrating by giving you these Specials for Friday and Saturday.

Mallory Hats FREE

We are going to give you the choice of any new Spring Hat absolutely free with any suit or top coat priced $25 and up.

YOUNG MEN'S TROUSERS

All the new colors, tans, greys and blues, price $5 to $8.50. These 2 days all reduced ..... **15** PER CENT

NEW SWEATERS

Lumber Jacks, Crickets, and pullover styles. All the new things for spring.
All reduced these 2 days ..... **15** PER CENT

SHIRTS

All Reduced.
$2.50 and $3.00 Shirts **$1.85**
$1.75 and $1.50 Shirts **$1.00**

UNDERWEAR

$1.50 medium weight union Suits, reduced to **95c**
Men's Athletic Union Suits with the taped backs.
3 Suits, reduced to **$2.50**

MEN'S HATS

One lot of Dress Hats, colors brown, grey and black. All sizes, very special **$2.95**

HOSIERY

You can't go wrong on these:
$1.00 Interwoven Sox **75c**
75c Interwoven Sox **60c**
50c Interwoven Sox **35c**

PAJAMAS

The quality you all like.
Sizes A to D.
$2.50 and $3.00 Pajamas **$1.85**
$2.00 Pajamas for **$1.35**

RAIN COATS

Ladies' and Men's new Naugahyde cuts, all colors.
$8.50 Coats for **$5.95**

Ladies' Silk Rubberized Coats. Colors green and black.
$6.00 Coats for **$3.95**

NEW CAPS

$3.00 Caps for **$1.95**
$2.00 Caps for **$1.35**
$1.50 Caps for **95c**

NECKWEAR

Good assortment of colors. Ties, $1.50 quality **95c**
$1.00 Ties for **50c**

COLLARS

Arrow Collars, all shapes, sizes 13½ to 17. Our price **5** for **$1.00**

SUITCASES

Every case in our stock included; all priced less **20** PER CENT

TRAVELING BAGS

$15, three-piece cowhide bags, colors black and brown; Friday and Saturday, price **$11.75**

$10 and $12.50 Bags, colors black and brown, Our price **$8.00**

MEN'S OVERALLS

Heavy Weight Blue.
Large sizes only, 40 to 50.
Friday and Saturday **$1.25**

MEN'S WORK PANTS

Good Heavy Cotton Pants. Colors grey and dark striped—$2.50 Pants **$1.75**

WORK SWEATERS

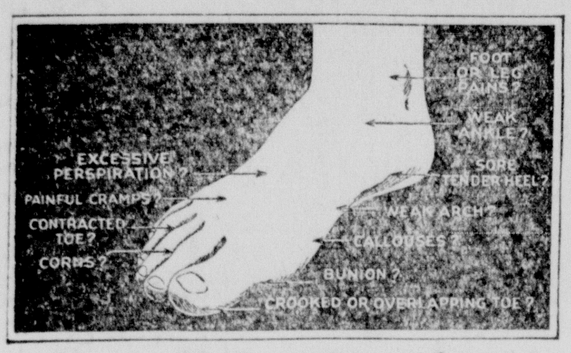
Medium Weight Cotton Mixed Sweater Coat.
Sizes 40 to 46, a $2.75 Coat, priced **$1.95**

MEN'S SERVICE SUITS

Cenden made; colors khaki and Old Hickory, the best made **$2.95**

MEN'S KHAKI PANTS

Very heavy weight, extra well made, $2.50 Pant, priced **$1.75**



Free Foot Comfort DEMONSTRATION

Tuesday, March 16

Seven persons out of every ten have some form of foot trouble. It may be weak or broken-down arches, weak ankles, corns, callouses or bunions or probably a case of tired, aching, painful feet. Regardless of what may be the nature of your foot suffering, you will find quick and lasting relief at our store during this special demonstration.

Foot Comfort Expert from Personal Staff of Dr. Wm. M. Scholl

At considerable expense this store has arranged for the services of one of Dr. Scholl's most skilled foot comfort experts. He will be pleased to see, on the above date, all persons suffering from any form of foot troubles. His services are *absolutely free.*

Free Pedo-graph Prints of Your Feet

In a few seconds' time, without removing the hose, he can make a perfect impression of your foot that positively shows if you do have foot troubles and to what stage the trouble has progressed. Come in and get a sample of Dr. Scholl's Zino-pads for corns. They remove the cause—friction and pressure. Sure, safe, instant relief.

Montgomery Shoe Co.

Are You Worried by the Income Tax?

Have you and your wife—or you alone—been puzzling over your income tax figures? Are you familiar with all the requirements of the law and all the exemptions permitted?

It is our business to know these things and we shall be very glad to help you with your blanks. This is just one other service we are privileged to render you. Come in early—there is no obligation.

CALL AND SEE WHY THE

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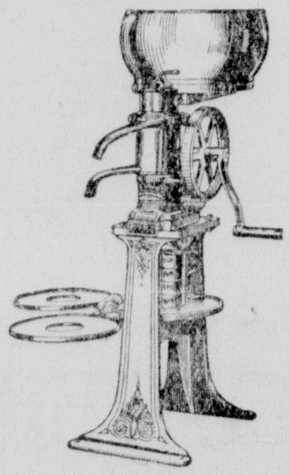
IS A REAL DAIRY NECESSITY.

How it makes work easy—saves time and money and guarantees better Cream. The only separator that you can leave standing and then resume skimming without cleaning.



HOWARD WRAY HARDWARE

North Side Square.

Cage Tourney Is Under Way

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had mounted to 26 to 8; and at the end the Westboro boys were playing tag with their opponents.

The line-ups:

Westboro (36): Hurst, Westrack and Milliken, forwards; George Tourtelotte, center; Macrander and Lefforge, guards.

Darlington (10): Shelby and McMillan, forwards; Groom, center; King and Staton, guards.

Barnard Makes Good Fight.

Barnard, the first of the Nodaway County teams to get into action, was pitted against Sheridan. At the end of the first quarter, the Worth County lads led, 9 to 3, but at the halfway mark, Barnard had brought the score to 11-13, and at the end of the third quarter led by 20-14. They finished with a final spurt and won by a final score of 30-20.

Forest City and Mound City were tied, 8 and 8 at the end of the half of their game this afternoon, Forest City had led, 6 to 0, at the end of the first quarter, but the Mound City quintet came back strong in the second period.

Harmony and Ravenwood are playing at press time as are Rosendale and Conception Junction. At 4.30 Hamilton and Cameron will start the play in Class A, and Fillmore and Faucett will play in Class B. King City and Burlington Junction will play at 5:15 as will Worth and Hatfield in B Class.

Thirty-four teams were at the gymnasium for the drawing at 1 o'clock this afternoon. Bethany was the only Class A team not present, while New Hampton, Fairfax, Worth, and Harmoney was absent in the Class B roster. As some of these teams were reported mired in the mud between their homes and Maryville, it was decided that they should be allowed to play if they arrive later than their first scheduled game.

Later in the afternoon word was received that Bethany, Fairfax, and New Hampton would not attend the tournament, and Skidmore, Parnell, and Altamont were given their games by forfeit. Harmony arrived about the middle of the afternoon.

WORKMAN CHAPEL.

Rev. Ragsdale filled his regular appointment at the church Monday evening.

Mrs. Walter Griffith and daughter, Raine of Siam, Ia., are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sears. Mr. Sears has been in poor health for some time, and his condition is worse than usual.

The Ladies Aid meet at the church Tuesday afternoon. They are quilting a quilt for Mrs. Robert Dew

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Workman visited Tuesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Workman at Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pierson and son, Dale, attended the Ed Pierson sale near Hopkins Friday.

George Kunkle returned home Saturday from a visit with his uncle, Fred Kunkle, and family at Waverly, Kan.

Mrs. Will Kluth spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. Will Kluth and family.

A number of families are moving from this community. We are sorry to lose so many neighbors, but wish them good luck in their new homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Tanner spent Sunday with Mr. Tanners parents at Arkoe.

A community meeting was held at the Lone Valley school Friday night. A fair sized crowd was present and refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Some of the neighbors in this community have lost several cattle with blackleg. John Carmichael lost three, Enos Pence three, and James Workman two.

Charles Pierson and Ed Van Pelt attended the school board meeting at Maryville Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Perry spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. John Knisley.

SWALLOW SCHOOL ITEMS.

Mary Louise Lyle was a visitor at school last week.

Mrs. Jay Mutz and Miss Beulah Mutz are in Rochester.

Merrill Epperson returned home from St. Joseph Monday, where he has been undergoing treatment for a month.

Joe Seipel entered school Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Norris moved to Maryville last week.

The agriculture class are testing seed corn for the patrons of the district.

The C. C. Club of the Swallow district met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Anna Fox and Minnie Fox.

Marvin and Mary Ruth McGinnis entered school Tuesday.

Robert Danner went to Maryville Thursday afternoon.

The Norris and Epperson sales, held Tuesday, were well attended.

Economy often consists of doing without what you want so you can have what you think you want.

Read the Want Ads.

Agency Youth Best Speller

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Grade School Entries.

In the grade school division, those who actually participated were:

Nodaway County, Dorothy DeNeen, Maryville; Grundy, Kathleen Storms, Laredo; Livingston, Eunice Lotz, Mooresville; DeKalb, Emerson Miller, Maysville; Andrew, Mary Bonewitz, Savannah; Worth, Pauline Hauber, Grant City; Buchanan, Lawrence Kelley, Agency; Platte, Lula Mae Fleming, Platte City.

Harrison, Lois Cocklin, Ridgeway; Mercer, Elmer Cunningham, grades; Clay, Helen Kelley, Liberty; Gentry, Bonidean Garrison, McFall; Holt, Frances Smith, Mound City; Atchison, Charlotte Copp; Daviess, Irene Smith, Gallatin; Ray, Elizabeth Sue Brown, Richmond; Clinton, Martha Wamsley, Cameron.

Rural School Contestants.

The competitors in the rural division, by counties, were:

Nodaway, Marcella Spire, Morning View school; Grundy, Rosa Lee Campbell, Trenton; Livingston, Leola Jenkins, Dawn; DeKalb, Lucille McCartney, Maysville; Andrew, Irma Kurz, Amazonia; Worth, Fern Craven; Buchanan, Isabel Allison, Spring Garden; Platte, Enid Witt, Parkville; Harrison, Mildred Nally, Bethany; Mercer, Helen Rowland; Clay, Charles Runyon; Gentry, Mildred Carter; Holt, Ruby Cotton, Forest City; Atchison, Marnissia Underwood; Daviess, Lowell Doak; Ray, Bernice Cheshire, Orrick; Clinton, Ethleen Jones.

COMMON SENSE.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thrasher and daughter, Velma Irene, spent Sunday with Mrs. Christia Jackson and family.

Sammie and Miss Catherine Moore spent Sunday afternoon with Arnold and Lorene Jackson.

Mrs. Ralph Thrasher and son, Ralph Dean, spent Monday evening with Mrs. Christa Jackson and daughter, Ellen Lorena.

Jimmy Drydale and family spent Saturday with James Guilley.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Criss spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thrasher and family.

Dale Thrasher motored to St. Joseph with a truck load of hogs.

Adgar Jackson of Barnard and Miss Helen Davidson of Barnard were married Saturday.

The seventh and eighth grades have been drawing maps this week.

Lucile and Wilma Lance have been out of school for three weeks because of the whooping cough scare in the neighborhood.

The west section of the Progressive Club presented an excellent program Tuesday night.

The fourth grade is studying surface measure.

The second grade is completing its last reader for this year.

A number of our young people charivaried Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jackson Monday night.

Wayne June is absent from school today.

Mr. Leedy visited school Wednesday.

The "A" class will finish United States history next week.

Mrs. Leedy has gone to Nebraska to see her daughter, Mrs. Harry Skleton.

LITTLE BRICK.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Walker and son, Donald, spent Tuesday in Maryville. Mr. Walker attended the meeting for school directors.

Madeline and Neveda Younger, and Eva May and Maxine Hullinger are absent this week on account of sickness. There is an epidemic of flu in the community.

F. D. Walker had his hogs vaccinated Tuesday. Frank Younger had his cattle vaccinated on Wednesday for blackleg. Dr. Harrison did the work.

This week completes the third quarter of school. On account of irregular attendance we have been unable to take examinations.

The "B" reading class is reading bird stories from Nature Study for supplementary reading.

AUNT HET

"Pa dont' especially mind havin' other men superiod to him, but he won't never feel respectable again if he finds out that I've got more sense than he's got."

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FEAR BRAZIL TO WITHDRAW

BRITISH OFFICIALS ARE NOT SO OPTIMISTIC.

EXPECTS GERMANY IN

But Loss of South American Members WWould Weaken League's Influ-Wonld Weaken League's Influence—Votes Berlin Eligible.

London, March 11.—The optimism over the League of Nations impasse, which has prevailed here, was not so evident today.

There is the danger of Brazil withdrawing from the League and possibly taking other Latin American members with her, it was admitted in official circles after dispatches had been received from the British delegation at Geneva.

No nation is likely to veto Germany's entrance into the League Council, it was said, but the influence of the League in South America is apt to be lessened by the withdrawl of Brazil.

Geneva, March 11.—The political commission of the League of Nations assembly, meeting today under the presidency of Sir Austen Chamberlain, unanimously adopted a report of the subcommittee that Germany is eligible to membership in the League.

Will Attend Rites of His Brother-in-Law

W. G. Gross will go to Kansas City tomorrow to attend the funeral services of his brother-in-law, W. H. Boultt, who died at his home in that city last Friday. Mr. Boultt has frequently visited in Maryville. The funeral was delayed on account of a son being unable to come.

Mr. Boultt was chief special agent of the Missouri Pacific and Iron Mountain. He is survived by his wife and three sons, W. H. Boultt of Cincinnati, Clarence Boultt, assistant physical culture teacher at one of the High school in Kansas City, and Whiley Boult of Kansas City.

Capital Aghast Over Gen. Butler's Efforts

Cocktail Warfare Causes Washington Society To Wonder What's Coming Next—Files Charges.

Washington, March 11—Social Washington was literally aghast today over the cocktail warfare that Brig.-Gen. Smedley D. Butler has started on the Pacific coast.

San Diego, Cal., March 11—Brig.-Gen. Smedley D. Butler has filed charges of drunkenness and conduct unbecoming an officer against Col. Alexander Williams of the San Diego marine base.

General Butler's action followed a dinner given Saturday night at Colonel Williams's home in Coronado in General Butler's honor. Cocktails, it is said, were served at the dinner, which was attended by a number of officers of the marine corps and their wives. It is said that General Butler made some comment regarding the cocktails. The charges against Colonel Williams, however, were based on a party which was held later at a hotel in Coronado, all of those at the dinner having been invited.

General Butler's charge was sent to Rear Admiral Ashley D. Robertson, commanding the eleventh naval district here. Admiral Robertson said he would send the charges to Washington for final action by the navy department.

City and County Officers at Dinner

The city, township and county officers attended a dinner held at the Roach cafe last evening. The officers present were:

Mayor W. O. Garrett, D. E. Hotchkin, city commissioner; George H. Meek, township assessor; Emmett Bartram, township collector; Mr. and Mrs. Frank McKee; Sheriff and Mrs. Lowell Campbell; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith; J. W. Qualls, Mrs. Bess Thorp, Harve England, Fred W. Smith.

It was suggested by Mr. Meek that more dinners be held of these officers so as to discuss many matters of business pertaining to their office.

Col. Coolidge Is Not Believed in Danger

Plymouth, Vt., March 11.—Col. John C Coolidge, 80-year-old father of the President, was still suffering pain but his condition showed no cause for immediate alarm, according to reports brought today from his bedside.

J. T. Carlton filed suit today in the circuit clerk's office for a note of $1,500 against G. E. Alkire and Mary E. Alkire.

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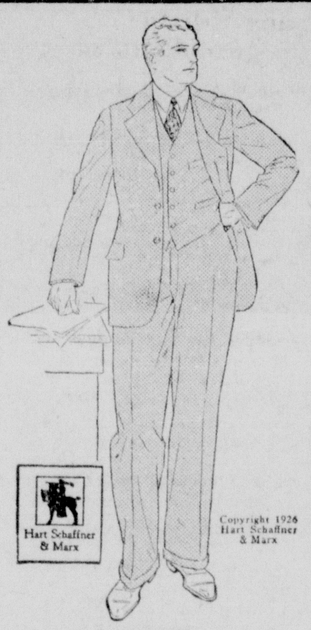

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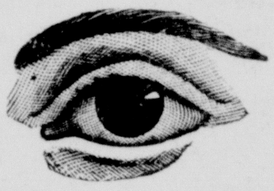

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BUSINESS IS GOOD.

Losing Side to Give Program Friday Night

Jigging and French Harp Contests To Feature Entertainment at Pleasant Hill.

The losing side in a contest held four weeks ago at Pleasant Hill school will give a program tomorrow night to which everybody is invited. After the program, sandwiches, pickles and coffee will be served.

A feature of the entertainment will be a jigging contest and a french harp contest, which anyone may enter. The program follows:

Song, "Comin' 'Through the Rye," by all.

Music.

Song, by Francis Kenny, accompanied by Elmer Arthur on Guitar.

Monologue, Ralph White.

Dialogue, "A Practical Use for Peddlers;" characters, Mrs. Sairy Jane Wheeler, Vera White; Mr. Pete Wheeler, Frances Nicholas; Soap Peddler, Blaine Keever; minister, Donald White.

Monologue, Elmer Arthur.

Violin solo, Elmer Arthur.

Story, Wm. Arthur.

Song, "Pal of My Dreams," Frances Lee Nicholas.

Questions and Answers, Mary Hamilton, Francis Kenny.

Recitation, Donald White.

Dialogue, "Who Stole My Cake?" Leading characters: Frances Lee Nicholas, Pauline Collins.

Song, Frances Kenny.

Drama, A. A. Arthur and Wm. Arthur.

Duet, "Let Me Call You Sweetheart," Zola and Hildred Burke.

Current Events, Mrs. Ralph White.

Song, Eldora Nicholas.

Dialogue, Frances Kenny and Alfus Clouse.

Reading, Edith Arthur.

Music.

Monologue, Leland Nicholas.

Jigg contest and french harp contest.

Song, "Darling Nelly Gray."

Play, "Oh, Doctor." Characters: Dr. Quick, Amos Shell; sub doctors, Main servant, Ralph White, second servant, Elmer Arthur; patients, Mr. White, Blaine Keever; Mr. Gray, Charles Pitts; Mr. Black, Harry Colwell, jr.; Mrs. Snow, Ora Keever; Mrs. Squash, Arbery Arthur.

Charles Barmann of Arkoe was a Maryville visitor today.

I. G. Satterlee of Mound City was in Maryville today.

Attendance at County School Meeting 182

A total of 182 school board members attended the county school board convention here Tuesday. When the list of those members attending the convention was published a number had not yet registered. Their names and districts follow:

Mount Tabor: L. R. Pruitt, Elmo, Clerk; Mrs. L. R. Pruitt, member.

Bedison: Frank Gwinn, Bedison, president.

Barnes: Charles Warner, Graham.

Rose Hill: Alec Jensen, Conception Junction, clerk.

Swinford: Mrs. Edward E. Jensen, Conception Junction, clerk.

Rockford: Dale Partridge, Maryville, clerk.

Independence: Mrs. Sophie Cable, Clearmont, clerk.

Douglas: R. E. McGinness, Maryville, clerk; D. D. McDermott, president.

Pickering: O. G. Null, Pickering, secretary.

Union: Guy D. Aley, Maryville, president.

North Prairie: W. G. Honan, Blanchard, Ia., president; W. A. Walkinshaw, Blanchard, clerk.

Mozingo Valley: James N. Jones, Pickering, clerk.

Xenia: Mrs. J. Newton Otis, Hopkins, patron.

Morgan: Jonathan Cryder, Skidmore, clerk.

Hickory Grove: D. E. Pence, Clearmont, president.

Hedge College: Everett Griffey, Burlington Junction, president.

Prairie View: Mack Ulmer, Clearmont, president; J. A. Britton, Clearmont, clerk.

Council Corner: W. A. Nelson, Maryville, president; W. S. Watkins, Maryville, clerk.

Eudora: A. B. Crane, Burlington Junction, president; Mark Hiles, Burlington Junction, clerk.

White Chapel: S. F. Wood, Elmo, president; Mrs. S. F. Wood, clerk.

Star: Paul Swinford, Burlington Junction, president.

Baker: Lee C. Burns, Barnard, clerk.

Pleasant Valley: Fletcher Dalby, Burlington Junction, president.

Highland No. 19: Lew Colman, Hopkins, member.

Gray Grove: William Henry, Burlington Junction, president.

Trego: O. M. Crawford, Barnard, president.

Davis: M. E. Bell, Barnard, president; Ed Cliser, Barnard, clerk.

Highland No. 132: C. W. Shinabargar, Skidmore, clerk.

Bristle Ridge: Edward Allen, Conception Junction, president.

Lone Valley: Ed Van Pelt, Burlington Junction, president.

Mount Ayr: Hubert M. Zech, Maryville, clerk; Erb Mozingo, Maryville, president.

Lone Star: Harry Cowen, Sheridan, clerk.

Dawson: E. V. Humphrey, Burlington Junction, clerk.

Parnell: John Blackburn, Parnell, vice-president.

Munkres: John Waldeier, Ravenwood, president; Miss Anna Boedecker, Ravenwood, clerk.

Black Oak: Charles F. Hoshor, Barnard, president.

Arkoe: D. W. Sumy, Arkoe, clerk.

Belle Grove: Elmer Dougherty, Maryville, president.

Snowball: J. E. Hilton, Parnell, president.

Common Sense: P. K. Ware, Barnard, president.

Glendale: H. P. Scott, Pickering, members.

Sunrise: John Sexson, Pickering, president.

Excelsior: Charley Baker, Hopkins, president; Roy Ringgold, Hopkins, clerk; Roy Hyder, Hopkins, member.

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Champion of England Peas, per pint 15c
Premium Little Gem Peas, per pint 15c
Stowell's Evergreen Corn, pint ..... 15c; 2 for 25c
Early Minnesota Corn, pint ..... 15c; 2 for 25c
Golden Bantam Corn, pint ..... 15c; 2 for 25c
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BEGIN HERE TODAY.

HENRY RAND, 55, a business man, is found murdered in a cheap hotel in Grafton. Police find a woman's handkerchief and the stub of a yellow theater ticket.

JANET RAND, his daughter, breaks her engagement with BARRY COLVIN because of the "disgrace." JIMMY RAND, his son, goes to Springfield where the theater is. The stub is traced to OLGA MAYNARD, a cabaret singer.

Jimmy meets and falls in love with MARY LOWELL. Later he encounters Olga. She faints at hearing police want her for murder. Mary, out with SAMUEL CHURCH, a wealthy lawyer, sees Jimmy lift Olga into a taxi and misunderstands.

Olga tells police the stub might have come into possession of a man who "picked her up" two nights before the murder. Jimmy receives mysterious warnings to leave Springfield and later is attacked by two men, but escapes.

With Jimmy and Mary estranged, Church gets Mary's promise to marry him. Jimmy accuses her of marrying for money.

Jimmy and Olga, out one night, see a man they both recognize—she as the man who got the stub, he as one of his assailants. The man escapes, but they identify him by his police picture as IKE JENSEN.

Church, motoring with Mary, runs over a dog. His heartlessness kindles hatred in her and she breaks their engagement.

Olga, at lunch with Jimmy, tells him that Church, because she had refused to have anything to do with him, had persecuted her to the extent of causing her to lose several jobs. Jimmy suddenly realizes that Olga is in love with him, and is deeply troubled.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XXXVI.

A long silence fell on them. The orchestra was playing that most passionate of love songs, "My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice," from "Samson and Delilah." Neither of them could utter a word; neither of them dared.

It was Olga who broke the spell cast by the music. She shrugged her shoulders and raised her hands in an airy gesture to utter a platitude, "Oh well, live and learn, Jim."

But she dabbed at her eyes with a handkerchief, and something in the action—something very brave and at once so pitiful—caught at him and wrenched him.

Then he leaned forward and held her eyes with his, talking very fast, "Olga, if I do nothing eles, I'm going to see that you get a real chance after—after things are cleared up. I've got one or two things against Sam Church myself. I think I'll make it a point to meet him and see if I can't pound a few respectable notions into his hand."

"No, don't do that, Jim," she said in alarm. "It won't do any good. Tell me what you have against him."

"Nothing that I have a right to speak about just now," he answered. "You know," he said hastily, "your experience is something like the one I've just been through."

Then he told her the circumstances under which he had lost his two positions since coming to Springfield.

"What do you make of it?" he asked. "Do you think anybody was behind it?"

"If I knew that Sam Church could possibly benefit by it I'd think he was behind it," she said positively.

"Well, I can see that perhaps he thought I was in the way the first time, but I can't understand how he could get any satisfaction out of causing me to lose this latest job."

She told him that he was being mysterious. "Why don't you explain Jim? Can't you trust me?"

"It's just this," he said, with an attempt at lightness. "I imagine that Church regarded me as a possible rival when I was working in the railroad office."

"A rival? You mean for a girl?"

He nooded. "But there was no reason why he should continue to worry about me. He's engaged to the girl now."

She said slowly, touching his hand with hers: "And you—cared for her?"

It was sometime before he answered her. "Oh well," he said miserably, "yes, I did care." He waved his hand, "But it's all over now."

"Jim, was it the girl I saw you with that night?"

His silence told her that it was.

"I saw her on the street yesterday. She stopped when she saw me and looked as if she was about to speak to me."

An eager light leaped into his eyes, at sight of which she clenched her hands till the nails left deep red marks in her flesh.

"She did?" he asked.

"Yes, but apparently she changed her mind."

A new hope charged him, and he grasped it as a starving man clutches at a piece of bread. He thought, "If she was going to speak, it was to find out—to get the explanation I never gave her."

But as swiftly as the thought had come to him he dismissed it. "She's engaged," he reasoned, "and to a man that's not good enough to be shot. There's nothing I could do." He felt as helpless as a swimmer carried along on a relentless tide.

He rose. "Come," he said to Olga. "I'll take you where you're going." He managed a laugh. "Thanks for the lunch. It's been a new experience."

"I'm going home," she told him. "Then I'll walk home with you."

He would have left her at the door, but she urged him to come into her apartment.

"You've never seen it yet, Jim. You can tell me what you think of it."

He went in with her and looked around him and admired it.

"You've got uncommonly fine taste," he told her, and failed to notice that she was trembling and biting her under lip, as if to keep herself under control.

He stuck out his hand. "Well, I'll toddle along."

"Can't you stay a while? You're in no hurry, are you?"

"I have an appointment with Barry Colvin," he lied—for the appointment was for dinner.

Olga had moved very close to him, and she laid his hands on her arms, let them creep upward to his shoulders . . . The scent of her hair was in his nostrils, like a sweet, vagrant breath of flowers on an April night.

He closed his eyes, throwing back his head, and he clenched his hands tightly, conscious that no matter what he did he was bound to hurt her.

"He's made life pretty bitter for both of us, hasn't he, Jim?" she half whispered, and raised her face to his. .

And as he bent down to her kiss, his arms pressing her closely to him, he saw himself again as some cruel blunderer smashing the toy of a little child.

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Before Mary Lowell's eyes the keys of her typewriter, manipulated by her nimble fingers, clicked off the sentences as she translated them from her shorthand notes.

And yet as she stopped occasionally to read them over, two words, born of a troubled mind, kept dancing before her vision. They were JIM RAND.

And in her fancy she could still see his erect, broad-shouldered figure, his smooth brown hair and level eyes, his close-cropped mustache; and beside him, always, was a slender, beautiful girl—a girl with light-gold hair, and violet eyes that were cool. A girl with long black lashes and black, high-arched eyebrows and delicately fashioned nose. . . . .

Her every waking thought was of those two, and her dreams, most of them, of him.

The thought rose to taunt her that but for her unconquerable pride, he would have been hers. . . . Happiness had been within her grasp, and she had let it go, and that was the greatest tragedy that life contained. . .

She fashioned bitter thought into words: "And he said I was marrying for money . . . selling myself for a mess of pottage. He was cruel; he tramped on me with his heel; he didn't care or he wouldn't have hurt me so."

Of a sudden she rose, passing her hand nervously across her forehead, and took her work into Mr. Hilton's office and laid it on his desk.

When she came back she sat a while in thought, the back of her hand pressed tightly against her lips. . .

"If only I had it to do over again," she said, "I would never let it go again."

And then: "If it is not too late. God, please don't let it be too late."

Hurriedly then, before she could change her mind, she wrote him a letter, her cheeks the while as bloodless as the paper she wrote on. And the letter was a complete surrending of the last vestige of her pride. . . .

Abjectly it told that she loved him . . .that she had broken with Sam Church . . . that she would wait for a reply. . . . .

She sealed it and stamped it—a two-cent stamp and a special delivery—and, fearing that she would change her mind before she could reach the letter box, she rang the buzzer for the office boy. . . .

"Paul," she said when he appeared before her desk, "will you drop this in the mail box?"

"Yes, ma'am!" Paul was emphatic.

"Thank you," she said, and walked swiftly to the window, where she stood and gazed with unseeing eyes at the clouds that hung over the buildings of Springfield.

Paul left her office, the letter in his hand. Halfway across the outer office a masculine voice, deep with authority, hailed him.

"Paul, come here right away. I want you to help the porter move these desks around."

"Yes sir, Mr. Barnett." Paul stuck the letter in the inside pocket of his coat and quickly and quite completely forgot all about it.

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Jimmy met Barry Colvin by appointment and the two went to dinner together.

"How about a show, Jimes?" suggested Barry when they left the restaurant and were walking along the street. "Something lively to cheer us up."

Jimmy was willing. His mind was filled with troubled thoughts. All through the dinner he had sat, wordless, as Barry chatted. He talked of the law business. He had had a busy day, he said. And Jimmy sat without hearing.

Barry said, looking intently at him as they stood in front of the theater: "I hope the show is good. It will have to be darned good to get you out of the dumps you seem to have fallen in."

"Oh, excuse me, Barry." Jimmy forced a smile.

Barry strolled to the window and bought the tickets. "Jed Black's here, Jim. He's my favorite comedian. I think he's the greatest master of pantomime on the stage today."

"Fine," said Jimmy, quite without enthusiasm.

"I've got a tough job ahead of me," went on Barry. "If I win this case, I'll have to be pretty good. I'm up against keen competition."

"Quite a feather in your cap if you win, eh? Well, here's hoping, Barry." There was a returning interest evident in Jimmy's voice.

"Yep. I met a smart lawyer today, Jim. A heck of a smart lawyer. His name was, lemme see. I'm not much good at names. Oh, yes, his name was Church—Samuel Church. A smart baby, Jim."

(To Be Continued)

Mrs. Charles J. Koock of Oregon, Mo., is here for a three weeks visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. M. Watkins, on West Third street.

Lester Lyle, Nodaway county, cashed on Tuesday a load of 844 lb. steers at $9.00 for feeding purposes.

Fred A. Edwards and Robert Edwards of Maitland were in Maryville today.

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Macaroni, 3 pkgs. for	25c	Bananas, 2 lbs.	25c
Soap, P. and G., or Ben Hur, 6 bars	25c	Apples, Ben Davis, fancy, per peck	55c
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Fresh Pork Ham Roast, lb. 30c
Pork Chops, lb. 32c
Pure Pork Sausage, lb. 22½c
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The Pork and Bean Market seems to be taking a slump. Regular 15c size of Van Camp's now selling at 10c
By the dozen $1.00

Briardale Brand, a better Bean, medium can 10c

A few cans of Old Hickory Smoked Salt left.
10 lb. cans $1.00

We have some 1 lb size cans of K. C. Baking Powder which was shipped us through an error. This size sells regularly for 20c. Our price to move them, 15c

Club House Fancy Head Rice, 2 lb. cartons 35c
Sunsweet California Prunes, large size meaty fruit, 1 lb. carton 25c
Oto brand Red Chili Beans, No. 2 cans 10c
Rider's Spanish Style Tomato Sauce, can 10c
Bermuda Onion Plants, packed 100 plants in pkg., per pkg. 15c
Large size regular Quaker Oats 25c
Nelson's White Rice Popcorn, 1 lb. carton 15c
Home grown Popcorn, 3 lbs. for 25c
Post's Wheat Meal, pkg. 25c

We firmly believe that permanent profits and lasting satisfaction in business will only come through capable and dependable service.

REMUS
Merc. Co.
Service - Quality - Satisfaction
The Home of ZEPHYR FLOUR
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Acropolis Brand Vegetable or Tomato Soup, good as you have ever used, 3 cans for - - - 25c

No. 2 can Richelieu brand pure Apple Butter - 25c

25 lb. sack factory filled pure granulated SUGAR $1.50

Peck Ben Davis Apples 50c
Peck Stamen Winesap Apples 75c
20 oz. carton Quick Quaker or Frontier Brand Rolled Oats 10c

10 lb. sack fresh ground Cornmeal 25c

Quart glass jug Acropolis Brand pure Cider Vinegar 20c

No. 2 can Monsoon brand Vegetables for Soup - 15c

No. 2 can Grimes Brand hand packed Tomatoes 10c
Plymouth Rock Brand tall ice tea tumbler Jams and Jelly, strawberry or raspberry flavor 25c
Richelieu Brand Jelly Powder, will do anything that Jell-o does. 3 pkgs. for 25c
2 loaves fresh baked Bread Reuillard's or Home Made 15c
Fine quality Tissue Toilet Paper, 2,000 sheet rolls, 3 for 48c
2 pkgs. Oxydol Powder - 15c
Mrs. Stewart's bottle Blueing 15c
Large 8 oz. jar Heinz Mustard Sauce 15c
Cauliflower, lb. 20c
Quart fresh Roasted Peanuts 15c
10 and 12 quart heavy galvanized Pails 23c

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

WANTS

THAT BRING RESULTS

TELEPHONE: HANAMO 42; FARMERS 114

Telephone your Want Ads to The Democrat-Forum and Tribune, when it is more convenient to do so, and collector will call within a day or two after the ad is printed. This is an accommodation service rendered our Want Ad patrons and payment should be made promptly on first presentation of bill.

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All orders from outside of Maryville must be accompanied by cash.

For further information, contract rates on Want Ads, etc., address
The Advertising Department,
The Democrat-Forum and Tribune,
Maryville, Missouri.

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THE FUNCTION

that the funeral director performs is a delicate one—a service hard to render, yet absolutely necessary. He must be thoughtful and considerate, systematic and thorough—a silent but competent manager.

CUMMINS & WRAY FUNERAL SERVICE
Hanamo 159 Farmers 81

Nursery Stock 5

FOR SALE—Iowa 103 Seed Oats; timothy and clover hay. Mrs. E. J. Williams. Hanamo 227.

Reliable Nursery Stock

Of best varieties and staple lines that have proven "worth while" in this territory, are what you should plant. You get more satisfaction at lower cost when you buy from your home nursery.

MURRAY NURSERIES

FOR SALE—Clover seed, recleaned; free from obnoxious seed.—W. E. Hantze, Pickering phone.

MARYVILLE SEED HOUSE

Onion plants fresh from grower, March 15.

200 for 25c and 1000 plants for $1.00.

All kinds of Farm and Garden seed at right prices.

Old Reliable
SMITH and BRANIGER

FARM SEEDS

Superior seeds at lower cost than Radio Seed Houses. Have combination prices on seeds and inoculator. Place your order for properly handled high-germinating seed corn.

ELMER FRASER
Han. 64 Lowry Bldg. Far. 175

Personals 7

CALL Hanamo 4445 for whole milk, skim milk, cream, cottage cheese, pimento cheese, cream cheese, butter, buttermilk—Virgil Hartness Dairy.

FOR SALE—Home grown alfalfa seed recleaned, $13.00 per bushel.—Call Ralph Wampler, Phone 2919 Skidmore.

Professional 8

Dr. K. Sears

Deputy State Veterinary
Calls answered promptly day or night.
Hanamo 740-965 Farmers 97-97½

LLoyds Radio Shop

Specializes in radio supplies of all kinds and sells them cheaper.

E. E. LLOYD
Hanamo 6263 N. Main Street

TURNER
THE TAILOR
Suit and Extra Trousers, $40.

Professional 8

REFINISH YOUR CAR WITH THE BEST

DUCO

Don't wait until the spring months to have it done. To everyone having their car refinished with Duco we will give a free Laundary any time they wish it during the spring or summer.

LANNING TIRE, TOP, PAINT AND VARNISH CO.
Main at First

I WEAVE rugs. Call and see my samples.—Mrs. C. W. Seiler, 603 S. Market.

Lost 10

LOST—Rhinestone bracelet. Reward.—Call Hanamo 5625.

AUTOMOTIVE

Automobiles for Sale 12

Some Good
USED CAR VALUES
Fordor Ford Sedan.
1924 Buick Master-6 Roadster; balloon tires, good.
1923 Buick Sport Touring, extra good.
1920 Buick-Six Touring.
1923 Ford Coupe, Good.
GEORGE MCMURRY
Buick Sales and Service.

GUARANTEED

FORD USED CARS

1—1925 Coupe, Cord Tires.
1—1924 Coupe, Balloon Tires.
2—1924 Touring Cars.
1—1923 Touring car.
2—1922 Touring cars.
1—1922 1-Ton Truck, extra good.

BARMANN AUTO COMPANY
Maryville's Ford Agent For The Past 17 Years.

Announcement

Mr. J. S. Shields, formerly of Maitland, and until a year ago a resident of Nodaway County, will be connected with this firm as a partner.

We—Mr. Shields and Mr. Sillers, are now owners of the Maryville branch of the Raborn-McComb Motor Company, for the sales and service of Studebaker Motor cars.

We will appreciate the patronage that we feel the Studebaker warrants.

SHIELDS-SILLERS MOTOR CO.
Studebaker Sales and Service
Lowry Building

Dodge Brothers

USED CARS AT LOWER PRICES

1924 Dodge Coupe.
1924 Ford Tudor, Balloon Tires.
1920 Oakland-6.
1923 Ford Touring.
1924 Chevrolet Truck.
1925 Ford Truck.

ARNOLD STRONG MOTOR CO.
Dodge Brothers
Sales and Service

HUDSON ESSEX

1923 Hupmobile Sedan.
1925 Tudor Ford Sedan.
1924 Essex Touring.
1923 Ford Coupe.
HUDSON-CARLSON MOTOR CO.
Hudson Sales and Service
Kramer Garage

OUTSTANDING

Used Car Values

1—1925 Overland Four.
1—1925 Tudor Ford Sedan.
2—1923 Durant Tourings.
1—Ford Coupe.
1—Buick Six Touring.
2—Overland Tourings.
2—Good Used Trucks.

SEWELL AUTO CO.
Willys Overland Fine Motor Cars
Maryville, Mo.

BUSINESS SERVICE

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This is the time of year to do guttering for protection from spring rains.

If you are thinking of building consult us. Advice and estimates free.

We are agents for the Torrid Zone all steel furnace. The only furnace on the market with a 10 year guarantee.

LLOYD GEIST
312 North Walnut
Hanamo 183 Farmers 0-65

For READ WANT ADS results

The Trades 19

WE ARE EXPERTS IN
GUTTERING
and
TINNING
Call us for advice or estimates.
HEIDEMAN & LEET
East Side Square

Coal, Wood Etc. 20

Car Royalton Franklin County, Illinois, Lump Coal Just Arrived.
$8.75 to $9.00 per ton
No Soot or Clinkers. Burns to White Ash.
WM. EVERHART
Coal—Wood—Feed

Shoemaker-Bovard

Transfer, Storage, Coal and Sand.
WE SOLICIT YOUR INQUIRY.

Laundering 22

WANTED—Laundry work of any kind, guaranteed satisfaction.—Hanamo 280.

EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted—Male 27

MOLER has taught barbering to thousands. He will train you under the most favorable conditions. Catalog free.—MOLER BARBER COLLEGE, 544 Main St., Kansas City.

Situations Wanted—Male 29

WANTED—By single man, job on farm by experienced farmer and stockman, year round near Maryville; can furnish reference.—Write Henry Schafer, care Walter E. Hollingsworth, Martin City, Mo.

LIVESTOCK

Poultry and Supplies 33

For best results with your incubator use our high test coal oil in the lamp. No smoke or odor and it does not char the wicks.

RICHARDS & SON
South Side Square

TOM BARRON WHITE
Single Comb Leghorns
$3 Hundred
Mated—one cockerel to every 12 hens. This year's breeding stock is from Ohio, from certified stock and good layers. You are invited to come and see our flock whether you buy or not; 10 miles south of Maryville, on concrete road. Orders being taken now for later delivery. Eggs guaranteed safe delivery. Telephone, write or come and see us.
MR. and MRS. D. N. HOSHOR
Barnard, Missouri.

Have a few cockerels for sale $1.25. Good ones. Eggs shipped C. O. D.

BARRED ROCK eggs, $3.50 per 100. Ringlet strain, dark mating; good layers.—Mrs. Marion Graham, Bedison Phone, Maryville Route 5.

FOR SALE—Purebred Barred Rock eggs for setting, $3.00 per hundred.—Mrs. Harve Walter, Farmers 914.

BABY CHICKS—White Wyandotte, ready for sale first week in April; hatching eggs 10c above market price. Mrs. Claude Moore, Farmers 44-19.

FOR SALE—White Wyandotte chicks, March 15, 12c each delivered.—Mrs. Myrtle Neely, phone Guilford.

PUREBRED Chicks. Buckeye hatched. Now $12.50 per 100. Leghorn, $11.00. Euston hatching.—Grays Hatchery, 402 East 6th Street, Maryville, Mo.

FOR SALE—Eggs from pen of Owen Strain S. C. Reds. Hens are products of five years of better than 200-egg breeding; mated to 215-231 egg pedigreed cocks. Pen has good range. No males with flock; $1 for 15; $6.00 per hundred.—Mrs. Ed Goodspeed, Hanamo 60XY.

FOR SALE—Purebred Buff Orpington baby chicks. Ready April 5. Hatching eggs, 10c above market price.—Mrs. A. C. Moore, Farmers 16-19.

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red eggs, fifty cents per setting.—Mrs. A. P. Dremen, Ravenwood, Mo., Rt. 3.

FOR SALE—Purebred White Rock eggs, $4 per hundred.—Mrs. Henry Cook, Both Phones.

Horses, Cattle, Swine 34

FOR SALE—20 head mules; 3 and 4 years old; 2 brood mares, 4 years old, C. E. Holliday, Graham, Route 1.

FOR SALE—14 good farm mules, 3 to 6 years old; 2 horses.—R. G. Ringgold, Phone 13,64, Pickering.

FOR SALE—Fresh cow with heifer calf; others to freshen soon.—Josh. Bliss, 722 E. 2nd.

MERCHANDISE

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FOR SALE—Seed corn. Reids Yellow Dent and Golden Beauty seed corn for sale, $2.50 per bushel. Come and see it while it lasts. Guaranteed Strong Germination.—Will N. Wray, Guilford, Mo.

FOR SALE—Clover hay; also 3-year-old mule.—Aley & Doyle, Farmers 31-19.

FOR SALE—40 empty barrels.—Call Ed Godsey.

FOR SALE—Steel hog troughs.—Armstrong Foundry.

FOR SALE—John Deere corn planter; guaranteed A-1.—Marvin Carmichael.

Articles for Sale 37

LUMBER FOR SALE

I am now installing a mill on the farm and will have some 20,000 feet of lumber sawed. Have quite a number of White Oak logs that would make choice house flooring, wagon tongues or fence posts. Also white and red Elm, Locust, and Walnut. These logs are all green and will make choice lumber. Mr. Book Bird, an expert machinist, will do the work; price $2.50 per hundred, except Oak.

See me at once and have the lumber sawed to your order. Will be sawing in a day or two.

A. S. CORDELL
1 Mile South of Quitman.

USED

Oak office desk, iron safe, National cash register, incubators, child's beds, baby buggies.

CASE FURNITURE EXCHANGE

Wanted To Buy 38

CORN WANTED—500 to 1,000 bushels good yellow corn, delivered to farm 3 miles east of town.—Elmer Fraser.

RESIDENCES AND ROOMS

Apartments and Flats 39

FOR RENT—Modern light housekeeping apartment newly decorated; also garage.—518 East 1st, Farmers 301-15.

FOR RENT—Flats over Schumacher-Rowley Store; modern except heat.—Hanamo 574.

Farms and Lands for Rent 41

FOR RENT—40 acres, 2 miles from Maryville.—Real Estate Bank.

Houses for Rent 42

FOR RENT—Modern dwelling—R. L. McDougal.

FOR RENT—One modern dwelling, 2 apartments, strictly modern, and one rooming house, furnished.—Chas. Hyslop.

FOR RENT—Modern 6-room house, has sewing room and reception hall. Desirable location.—Fred W. Smith, County Clerks office.

FOR RENT—6-room house, modern except heat.—Dr. K. C. Cummins.

FOR RENT—5-room house and several acres of ground, southwest of Ravenwood.—Call John A. Ball, Ravenwood.

FOR RENT—By April 1, 12-room house, modern except furnace.—615 North Main, Hanamo 574.

Rooms for Rent 43

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms with or without light housekeeping privileges; also a garage.—312 W. 7th Street, Hanamo 3472.

FOR RENT—Two modern furnished rooms for light housekeeping; also 2 garages if wanted. Call Hanamo 3511 or this office.

ROOMS FOR RENT—For sleeping or light housekeeping.—403 West First Street.

Wanted—To Rent 44

WANTED to rent, modern house, furnished; West Side preferred.—Call J. O. Miller, Hanamo 1.

Farms and Land for Sale 46

FOR SALE

157 acres improved Fremont County, Iowa. If sold soon the owner will put in stock, poultry, feed and implements free. Good laying land.

C. D. ALLEN
119 East 4th Street.

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(1st insertion March 10; last March 18).

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE MARYVILLE HOMESTEAD AND LOAN ASSOCIATION.

Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the MARYVILLE HOMESTEAD AND LOAN ASSOCIATION will be held at the office of the Secretary, R. L. McDougal, at No. 107 West Fourth Street, Maryville, Missouri, on Friday March, 19th, 1926, beginning at the hour of nine o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing three directors to serve for the ensuing term of three years; and for the purpose of transacting such other business as may properly come before said meeting, including the amendment or repeal of Section 31 of the by-laws.

JOHN G. GREMS, President.
R. L. MCDOUGAL, Secretary.

Graham

Miss Fern Wilson of St. Joseph spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milt Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Shields of Maitland were guests in the Vern Cox home Sunday evening.

Charles Hilsabeck of Maryville spent several days with his son E. G. Hilsabeck and family, last week.

Mrs. Susie Summers was very pleasantly surprised on Friday evening when a number of friends and relatives gathered at her home as a farewell courtesy. She and Mr. Summers expect to move to Maitland soon. The evening was spent socially and refreshments were served at a late hour to about thirty-five guests.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Baublits had as six o'clock dinner guests Saturday evening, Mrs. W. O. Stiverson and Mrs. Fern Wilson.

Mrs. M. M. Mowry and Mrs. A. C. Mowry were Maitland visitors Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Goodpasture motored to St. Joseph Monday.

Mrs. E. G. Hilsabeck and Miss Esther Fordyce attended a basketball game in Maryville Saturday night.

Mr. J. M. Schmidtz and daughter Wilma were shopping in Maryville Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Edith Dorrell spent the week end with home folks in Savannah.

Mrs. J. M. Wilson and Mrs. Sam Cole were shopping in St. Joseph last Friday.

Mrs. Charles Goodpasture entertained the B. B. Needlework club on Wednesday of last week. The afternoon was spent socially and dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. Members present were Mrs. Ralph Summers and son, Mrs. Marvin Mowry, Mrs. G. L. Mendenhall, Mrs. Clyde Goodpasture and Mrs. Vern Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cox of Yuma, Colorado are the parents of a daughter, born March 4. The baby has been named Donna Marie. Mr. Cox was a former resident of Graham.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. Church in Graham, will entertain the public with a very unique program Wednesday night, March 17th at 8 o'clock. This program will consist of music, readings and a forty-five minute comedy entitled 'How the Story Grew," and several more very interesting numbers. This program is free of charge.

Several cases of scarlet fever are reported in the Graham vicinity.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Gabhart was partly destroyed by fire late Tuesday night. Mr. Gabhart was absent from home and the fire was discovered by Mrs. Gabhart who with her two small children were asleep in an an adjoining room. She gave the alarm and in a very short time a large crowd of men, all very willing workers gathered and with the aid of buckets and extinguishers controlled the flames in a very short time. However, only a part of the furniture was saved. The loss is partially covered with insurance.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Hilsabeck were business visitors in Maryville Tuesday.

Surveyors Assure Short Line From Trenton, Mo.

Chillicothe, Mo., March 11 (United Press).—A party of surveyors, now assembled at Trenton, gives assurance that the Rock Island railroad is to construct a line between Trenton and Braymer, thereby insuring a short line between Trenton and Kansas City.

The Rock Island will join the Milwaukee railroad and run into Kansas City over the Milwaukee tracks.

Getting Up Nights

Tells You of "Danger Ahead." A Normal Bladder Does Not Act at Nights.

A. C. Smith, 41 W. Broadway St, Bethlehem, Pa., says: "I am willing to tell or write of the benefits received from Lithiated Buchu (Keller Formula). I now rise in the morning refreshed and feeling fine." It cleanses the bladder as do epsom salts do the bowels, thereby neutralizing excess acids and driving out foreign matter which are the causes of abnormal bladder action. Keller Laboratory, Mechanicsburg, Ohio. Sold by all drug stores. Locally at Gaugh & Evans.—Adv.

FOR $1.00 We Make Your Old Hat Like New

SUPERIOR Cleaning Co.

DAILY MARKET REPORT

ST. JOSEPH LIVE STOCK.

Hogs

Receipts 3,500; market steady to 10c higher.

Top, $13.40; bulk, $12 to $13.25

Cattle

Receipts 1,000; market steady.
Bulk of steers, $8.50 to $9.75.
Top, $10.10.
Cows and heifers, $3.50 to $9.25.
Calves, $5.50 to $11.50.
Stockers and feeders, $6.75 to $8.75.

Sheep

Receipts 5,500; market slow; lower.
Lambs, $12 to $13.50.
Ewes, $7.50 to $8.75.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK

Cattle

Receipts 1,300; market steady to strong.

Hogs

Receipts 9,000; market steady to 10c lower.

Sheep

Receipts 500; market nominal.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK

Hogs

Receipts 5,000; market 10c to 25c up.
Bulk, $12.95 to $13.35.
Heavies, $12.15 to $12.75.
Butchers, $12.75 to $13.50.
Lights, $13.50 to $14.
Pigs, $13.50 to $14.

Cattle

Receipts 2,500; market steady.
Prime fed steers, $10.65 to $11.25.
Dressed beef steers, $7.65 to $10.50.
Western steers, $7.75 to $10.65.
Southern steers, $7 to $9.65.
Cows, $3.65 to $8.
Heifers, $5.50 to $10.
Stockers and feeders, $6.50 to $9.50.
Bulls, $4.25 to $6.25.
Calves, $5.50 to $12.25.

Sheep

Receipts 3,000; market weak.
Spring lambs $11.75 to $13.50.
Yearlings, $10 to $11.50.
Wethers, $8.50 to $9.50.
Ewes, $7.75 to $8.75.
Stockers and feeders, $12.50 to $13.25.

OMAHA LIVESTOCK

Cattle

Receipts 5,000; market steady.

Hogs

Receipts 15,000; market steady.

Sheep

Receipts 7,500; market steady.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

Hogs

Receipts 34,000; market 25c lower.

Cattle

Receipts 12,000; market about steady.

Sheep.

Receipts 10,000; market 25c to 40c lower.

Chicago Grain Table.

	open	high	low	close
WHEAT				
Old				
May	$1.60¼	$1.61¾	$1.59½	$1.61½
New				
May	$1.61	$1.63⅛	$1.61	$1.62¾
July	$1.39¾	$1.41¾	$1.39¾	$1.41⅜
Sept.	$1.34⅜	$1.35⅜	$1.34	$1.35⅛
CORN—				
May	$ .78¾	$ .78¾	$ .77⅞	$ .77⅞
July	$ .82	$ .82	$ .81⅛	$ .81⅛
Sept.	$ .83¾	$ .83¾	$ .83	$ .83

Chicago Cash Grain.

WHEAT—No. 2 red, $1.63.

CORN—No. 2 yellow, 76¾c; No. 3 yellow, 74¼c to 75¼c; No. 3 mixed, 73½c; No. 4 white, 70½c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 40½c to 41¾c; No. 3 white, 40¼c to 40¾c.

HAY—Timothy, $6.25 to $7; clover, $28 to $32.

Kansas City Grain, Hay, Produce.

WHEAT—43 cars; hard, 2c to 3c up; red, 2c to 3½c up; No. 2 hard, $1.61 to $1.68; No. 3 hard, $1.62½ to $1.64½; No. 2 red, $1.68 to $1.70; No. 3 red, $166 to $1.68½.

CORN—33 cars; market ¼c to 1c up; No. 2 mixed, 70c to 71c; No. 3 mixed, 67½c to 69c; No. 2 yellow, 71½c to 72½c; No. 3 yellow, 69c to 70½c; No. 2 white, 71½c to 72½c.

OATS—1 car; market unchanged to ½c higher; No. 2 red, 40c to 43c; No. 2 white, 40c to 41½c.

RYE—No. 2, 75c to 77c.

HAY—Prairie, choice, $12 to $13; timothy, No. 1, $19 to $20; alfalfa, choice, $24 to $24.50.

Eggs, 24c; selected, 27c; butter, 45c; packing, 27c; hens, 25c; turkeys and young toms, 34c; broilers, 39c; ducks, 25c; geese, 14c.

Closing Grain Review.

Chicago, March 1.—Grain prices closed higher on the Chicago Board of Trade today. The most marked advances were made in the wheat pit which closed about 8 cents higher than yesterday's low.

The wheat close was up as high as 3 cents in the May new at the close. The noticeable and sudden rise in this grain is attributed directly to dispatches from Buenos Aires that the entire Argentine wheat crop is materially below weight and will require much mixing. At the same time Liverpool cables show that the market for American wheat in that port is advancing in lieu of the news of the poor quality of the Argentine crops. The undertone of the British market is strengthening in sympathy with the British market is strengthening in sympathy with the bullish Chicago pit.

Corn closed fractionally lower. The market in this grain showed fractional losses continued to lag behind despite the sensational wheat advance.

Oats closed fractionally higher. The usual higher market in this grain was somewhat enlivened today more in sympathy with the wheat than anything else.

Provisions closed lower.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Eggs, per doz.	20c
Cream, per lb.	36c
Heavy Hens, per lb.	20c
Light Hens, per lb.	16c
Geese, per lb.	10c
Hides, per lb.	5c
Cocks, per lb.	13c
Ducks, per lb	15c

Maybe some of these people old enough to know better seemingly act foolish because they do know better.

While cops don't make much in some towns they get their drinks free.

Jailed a Charleston dancer in New York, but not because of it.

Man Sleeps Like Log, Eats Anything

"After taking Adlerika I can eat anything and sleep like a log. I had gas on the stomach and couldn't keep food down nor sleep." (Signed) R. C. Miller. ONE spoonful Adlerika removes GAS and often brings surprising relief to the stomach. Stops that full, bloated feeling. Often brings out old waste-matter you never thought was in your system. Excellent for chronic constipation.—Koch Pharmacy. In Pickering, A. F. Lett, Druggist.—Adv.

GROWING OLD TOO FAST?

Many Maryville Folks Feel Older and Slower Than They Should.

Are you weak, tired, all worn-out? Do you feel years older than other folks of your age? Then look to your kidneys! The kidneys are the blood-filters and if they weaken, the effect is quickly felt. You have constant backache, headaches, dizziness and urinary troubles. You feel lame, stiff and achy—all played out. Don't wait! Use Doan's Pills—a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys. Read what this Maryville resident says:

J. N. Bryan, 222 W. 11th St., says: "My kidneys were out of order for a long time. I had dull pains in the small of my back and I could hardly get up from a chair as the pains were sharp and darting across my kidneys. Doan's pills cured me and I haven't been troubled since."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Pills—the same that Mr. Bryan had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

Feeble Old Folks Often Victims of Chronic Fatigue

Thousands of folks blame age for their weak, feeble, sickly condition—when in an enormous number of cases they are really suffering from *chronic fatigue.*

Chronic fatigue is an *unnatural* tired feeling—usually due to lack of sufficient organic iron in the blood. Nuxated Iron, which contains true organic iron like that in the blood and in spinach and lentils, quickly restores this iron and banishes chronic fatigue. It gives new strength and endurance in 2 weeks or money refunded. Will not injure teeth or disturb the stomach like old-fashioned mineral iron medicines. At all good druggists.

TOO TIRED to go outdoors

NUXATED IRON ENRICHES THE BLOOD AND BANISHES CHRONIC FATIGUE

Glad He Picked This Good Stomach Remedy

Puts Stomach in Fine Condition—Ends Dizzy Spells, Catarrh and Makes You Sleep Well.

Injudicious eating causes acute indigestion, heartburn, heaviness and sour stomach—sometimes the distended stomach causes that dreadful feeling of near suffocation.

Isn't it worth something to know of a remedy that will stop this distress in a few minutes—quicker than anything else you can think of.

This is no common stomach remedy for it took years of time to combine Pepsin with the other effective agents that make Dare's Mentha-Pepsin so good that the worst cases of indigestion and gastritis and other chronic stomach ailments are speedily overcome and the most deranged stomachs are made clean, strong and healthy.

Mr. Calvin Dilks of Alloway, N. J., a man of few words, knows this for he writes: "I entirely rid myself of an old catarrhal condition of the stomach with Dare's Mentha-Pepsin."

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LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE: In That Quiet End of Town

Hopkins and Maryville B. I. L.'s Plan to Join in Entertaining P. E. O. Chapters

A joint meeting of the Maryville and Hopkins chapters of P. E. O., as guests of the B. I. L's, has been proposed and probably will be held early this summer, according to this week's issue of the Hopkins Journal.

The joint meeting was suggested by a "self appointed committee" of Maryville B. I. L.s, who accused the Hopkins "he-members" of being "cheap johns" for not entertaining the P. E. O.s "once in every five years." The letter from Maryville, according to Editor Moorhead, was as follows:

"Maryville, Mo., March 8, 1926.
"W. L. Moorhead:

"We saw in the paper the other day that the 'He-members' of the P. E. O. Society at Hopkins have never entertained the ladies.

"We don't understand how you B. I. L.'s can be such a set of 'cheap Johns.' Now, down here we are extra nice to the P. E. O.'s. We put on a big blowout for them about once every five years. In face, they have been running here twenty years and we have entertained them four times and we have done all this in face of the fact that the women hardly ever turn a hand to entertain us. Really, they only entertain us three times a year and we feel in view of our elaborate entertainment' they should do more.

"Seriously, Mr. Moorhead, what would you think of planning a joint meeting of the B. I. L.s of Hopkins with those of Maryville, the meeting to be held early next summer in some shady nook near Pickering when we could act as hosts to the P. E. O.'s of the two towns?

"Yours in the faith,
"A. K. Frank
J. O. Dragoo
F. P. Reuillard
F. L. Garrett
Self-Appointed Com."

To which Mr. Moorhead responds as follows:

"We have taken the matter up with several of the B. I. L.'s of Hopkins and they all express their willingness as well as pleasure in joining with the B. I. L.'s of the county seat in pulling off a stunt of the character mentioned in the above communication. The B. I. L.'s here feel ashamed of having been so dilatory in showing their appreciation of the many favors shown them by the P. E. O.'s and will go their length in an effort to make this joint meeting one long to be remembered by those in whose honor it is to be given, so choose your weapons, name the date and we'll sure be there with bells for we love P. (artaking) E. (normously) O.(ccasionally) either as guest or host, so all come with belts loose."

So the affair seems to be on.

A marriage license has been issued in Kansas City to Fred Swanson, Lake View, Ia., 24, and Mary Anthony, Hopkins, Mo., 23.

Nodaway County Angus Breeder Sells Yearling Steers-Heifers at $9.40

T. Medsker, farmer, feeder and shipper of Nodaway county, marketed a load of purebred Aberdeen Angus calves, steers and heifers, averaging 674 pounds and good enough to bring $9.40 per cwt. Mr. Medsker was well pleased with the sale of the drove. He raised the calves from his own herd, feeding corn and cottonseed cake from weaning time until they were a year old. He raises not only Angus cattle for market, but sells bulls and heifers for stock and show purposes in his part of the state with considerable success. He is a good booster of the local market; making this his market exclusively, and the Journal his favorite market paper.

Dunklin County Bank Closes Doors Today

Jefferson City, March 11.—The State Bank of Malden, Dunklin County, with total resources of $284,000, closed its doors today, according to word received by E. C. French, state finance commissioner. The closing of the Malden bank was the sixth to fail in Missouri this month and the ninth so far this year. The last financial report of the bank lists loans at $215,000, capital of $20,000, surplus $20,000, deposits of $150,000 and total resources of $284,000.

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Fresh Spinach, lb 10c
Fresh Cauliflower, lb 20c
Home Grown Lettuce, lb 35c
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Lava Soap, 2 bars for 5c
Potato Chips, per bag 8c

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Staley's or Karo, Gal. pail 48c
½ gal. pail for 25c
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Quality MEAT Market
CHUCK ROAST pound 17½c
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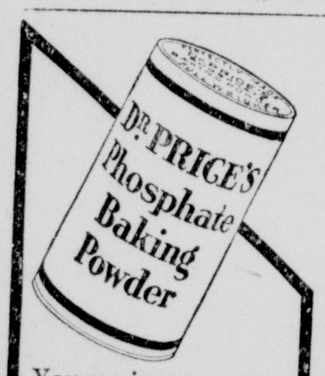

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